Legislators Get Ear-Full About Crowded Conditions At Dixon State Hospital

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WEATHER

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Rail Employees Get Raise, Plus 40 Hour Week

Reign of 'Tyranny' Seen If Jap Warlords Go Free

Supreme Court's Decision To Have Great Importance

Final Arguments Heard in Washington; Legality Doubted

Washington, Dec. 17- (AP)-- The legal battle to save seven convicted Japanese warlords neared a climax today as defense attorneys urged the Supreme court to forestall a "reign of tyranny" on foreign soil.

The question at stake is whether the high court has power to consider a clemency plea for the Japanese officials condemned by the international military tribunal at Tokyo. Solicitor General Philip B. Perlman insists the court lacks that authority.

The American justices are due to take the case under advisement after final arguments this afternoon.

David F. Smith, one of the two American lawyers acting for the former warlords, told the court its authority does supersede the 11-nation Tokyo tribunal and that it should agree to consider the appeals.

While only seven of the condemned Japanese are involved in the case, the court's decision will have a bearing on the 18 others convicted of "crimes against peace."

If the justices rule they do not

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Need for Between 150 and 300 Workers Told State Representatives

Local Institution Has Large Waiting List, Dr. Belinson Tells Law-Makers

By BRYN GRIFFITHS
City Editor, The Telegraph

Over-crowded conditions at the Dixon State Hospital, and the urgent need for between 150 and 300 additional attendants and other workers, was brought to the attention of several legislative representatives here Thursday night when they met with Dr. Louis Belinson, acting superintendent of the institution. Meeting at the hospital with Dr. Belinson were Representatives Mabel R. Green, Rockford; John Morris, Chadwick; Marvin Burt, Freeport; George S. Brydia, Prophetstown, and Hubert D. Considine, Harmon. Mrs. Helen Forsath, Rockford, attended with Rep. Mabel Green. In addition to Dr. Belinson, the state hospital was represented by W. R. Handy, business manager of the institution, and C. W. Evans, educational supervisor.

The purpose of the meeting was to acquaint the law-makers with the crowded conditions at the hospital, and to urge them to do everything in their power to persuade the legislature to make sufficient funds available to enable the staff to operate humanely and efficiently.

Superintendent Belinson indicated that the hospital has about 4,650 patients at the present time, and about 500 employes, making the population of the institution about 5,200.

Law Is Violated

To emphasize his claim that the hospital is over-crowded to an extent that it even violates the state's own laws, Dr. Belinson cited the hospital nursery, which, he says, is constructed to legally accommodate only 47 patients, but actually has 120. Adding to this deplorable condition, the doctor pointed out that because of a shortage of nurses, some older patients are used as attendants to take care of the infants. The feeding an dtaking care of the ordinary wants of the 120 infants is a problem that has grown from an inconvenience to a situation that is downright deplorable. Mr. W. R. Handy, business manager, told of escorting a group of visitors through the nursery on one occasion, and because of the personnel shortage there was only one nurse on duty for the 120 infants. Said Mr. Handy:

"It happened to be at feeding time. Older patients were being used as attendants to feed the infants. Some of them were jamming the spoons used for feeding into the eyes, ears and necks of the infants, being pre-occupied with something else. The lone nurse on duty was personally running from one crib to another changing the clothing of the children—and there were 120 of them. Dirty wearing apparel, diapers, and soiled linen was piled all over the place. It was a mess and I was so ashamed I could have cried."

Both Dr. Belinson and Business Manager Handy indicated that

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GOP in Senate Caucus

Springfield, Ill, Dec. 17—(AP) —Republican state senators met today to adopt a set of rules aimed at tightening their control of senate activities and curbing the powers of the new Democratic Lieutenant Governor to that handling the gavel.

Before the caucus began, Senator Charles Carpentier of East Moline announced his withdrawal as a candidate for GOP senate majority leader.

His action left Senators Edward E. Laughlin of Freeport, Wallace Thompson of Galesburg and Walker Butler of Chicago as top contenders for the job. Laughlin was the majority leader at the 1945 and 1947 sessions and has strong backing again.

The 32 Republican senate members were expected to approve rules setting up a committee on assignments with the power to name chairmen of the standing committees and determine which committees receive bills introduced.

Because of their 32-18 margin over the Democrats, Republicans will control all senate committees.

In recent sessions, the lieutenant governor who is senate presiding officer has had a big say in filling committee appointments.

But with Democratic Sherwood Dixon coming as lieutenant governor, the Republicans now want to make sure they will run the show themselves.

Officials Who Fail to Testify Blasted

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP)—Public officials who claim immunity and refuse to testify when called as witnesses are the target of criticism by the Illinois State's Attorneys association.

The association adopted a resolution endorsing a proposal that such officials be required to testify or be dismissed.

This proposal, advanced by the Chicago crime commission, is expected to be submitted to the 1949 general assembly.

It would bar from public office any official who refuses to waive immunity when called as a witness for a five year period.

Molly, Fibber's Wife, Loses Necklace, Purse

Hollywood, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Police were looking today for a missing purse and a $1,000 necklace belonging to Mrs. Marian Jordan, better known as Molly of Fibber McGee and Molly.

She reported to police that it disappeared from her dressing room at the NBC radio studio.

"His Royal Highness"

His Royal Highness, Prince Charles Philip Arthur George of Edinburgh, poses for his first formal portrait after Christening services in Buckingham Palace, London, England

(NEA Telephoto)

Congress Believes It Will Get Truman Help

Washington, Dec. 17—(AP) — Democratic congressional leaders found some comforting signs today that President Truman will keep them posted in advance of his legislative plans.

Truman went out of his way at a news conference yesterday to note that he had consulted with Senator Barkley of Kentucky and Rep. Rayburn (D-Tex)—due to be speaker of the house in the 81st congress—on plans to deliver his state of the union mesage to congress personally January 5.

And the president put in a plug for a pay raise for Barkley, the vice president-elect.

Some of Mr. Truman's congressional lieutenants have grumbled in the past that the first they had heard of several White House proposals was when they read about them in the newspapers.

One particular case in point was said to have been Mr. Truman's quickly shelved plan early this year for a $40-a-person tax cut.

But politicians think times have changed.

They now expect Barkley and Rayburn, as the chief liaison men between the senate and house, to be kept abreast of White House thinking on isues that affect congress.

State Welfare Body Names DeKalb Man

Chicago, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Dr. Edward H. Stullken, Chicago, is the newly elected president of a state department of public welfare advisory board.

Stullken, principal of Montefiore special school in Chicago, was named president of the department's advisory board for the division for youth and community service at a regular meetitng yesterday.

Others elected were Dr. J. Arthur Spickerman, DeKalb, first vice president; the Very Rev. Msgr. William T. Sloan, Alton, second vice president, and Mrs. Lillian Mottier, Rockford, secretary.

Mrs. Murdock of Oregon Dies Day After Anniversary

(Telegraph Special Service)

Oregon, Dec. 17.—Mrs. Edward Murdock, aged 73, passed away at her home in Oregon Thursday morning at 8:40 following a lingering illness. The daughter of John and Susan Chamberlain Bailey, she was born in Nashua township, Ogle county, Nov. 11, 1875, and was united in marriage to Edward Murdock at Oregon, Dec. 12, 1898. The couple celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Wednesday, and she had expressed a desire to live until this occasion, and passed away the day following. Surviving are her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Donald Brooke of Oregon. She had lived in the Oregon community all her life. Two sons, George and James,

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List of ads to be judged Dec. 17th:

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MEDIUM ADS
Hall's
Dixon Appliance Co.
Dixon Distilled Water Ice Co.
Dixon Theatre Co.
Standard Dairy
Erzinger Shoe Store
Eichler Bros.
Ken Mail Ins
Jones Funeral Home
LARGE ADS
Eichler Bros.
Kline's
Boynton-Richards
Dixon Appliance
Mellott Furniture
Overstreet Jewelry

Rev. Rowe to New Post

REV. DONALD E. ROWE

Rev. Donald E. Rowe, pastor of the Church of the Brethren, who will leave Dixon next week to accept the pastorate of the Pasadena, Calif., church on January 1st.

A graduate of Manchester college and Bethany Biblical seminary, Rev. Rowe began his pastoral work in Dixon on October 1, 1946. He has served as president of the Dixon Ministerial association for the past year and was chairman of the leadership training school for Sunday school workers held this fall.

Since coming to Dixon, Rev. Rowe has been ordained to the eldership and is a member of the Northern Board of administration of the Church of the Brethren

"Birth of a Greater Possibility" will be the theme of his farewell sermon at the 11:00 a. m. service, Sunday.

State Reformatory Asked by Senators

Chicago, Dec. 17.—(AP) -Two state senators will ask the Illinois legislature to establish a state reformatory.

The proposed institution would be for imprisonment and correction of offenders too young for adult prisons but too advanced in crime for the state training school for boys near St. Charles.

Senator Victor McBroom (R-Kankakee) and Senator-elect John C. Kluczynski (D-Chicago) said they will sponsor the bill. The proposal has been endorsed by some juvenils and welfare authorities and by the Illinois State's Attorneys association.

Guam Murder Leaves Only a 'Cold Trail'

Guam, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Guam's deputy police chief said today his men were following "a cold trail" in their hunt for the fiendish sex slayers of pretty Ruth Farnsworth.

"It's incredible," said Lt. Cmdr. James Hackett, former Chicago police lieutenant. "There wasn't a single clue at the scene. We raked dirt and chopped down brush with machetes, but couldn't find a single shred of evidence.

The 27-year-old San Francisco girl was attacked Saturday night, was found in the jungle Monday and died Tuesday.

Witnesses Birth of Child; Costs $5,000

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 17 —(AP) —Mrs. Lola Ramona Dockter today held a $5,000 jury verdict against a physician and a layman the doctor allowed to watch the birth of her child two years ago in a Brainerd hospital.

Jurors returned the verdict against Dr. Carl G. Winquist and Bert H. Betters, both of nearby Ironton, where Mrs. Doctor also lives. The woman sued for $20,000, charging invasion of her privacy because Betters looked on without her consent or approval

Runaway Boys Picked Up Here Returned to Homes

Merchant Policeman Ed Trotter this morning arrested two runaway boys, Lloyd Rasmussen and Melvin Crettol, at the bus depot The boys' parents at Winfield, Ill., were notified and arrangements for their return there have been made. Trotter picked te boys up at 3:10 a. m.

Freeport Man Is Named DeKalb Teachers Prexy

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP)—Dr. Leslie A. Holmes of Illinois State Normal university, Normal, today was named president of Northern Illinois State Teachers college at DeKalb.

The choice of Holmes, now administrative assistant at Normal, was made at a meeting of the Illinois State Teachers College Board of Trustees.

Holmes, a native of Freeport, was educated at the University of Illinois where he received his doctor's degree in 1942. He has been in private business, in high school teaching and served as an instructor and professor at Illinois State Normal.

SUCCEEDS KARL ADAMS

At DeKalb he will succeed Karl L. Adams, who died recently.

"In arriving at its decision," the board said in a statement, "the board followed its long established policy of selecting as president a man who held an earned doctorate and is not affiliated with the institution of which he is to be president."

Holmes, 45, and father of a 17-year-old son, will receive an annual salary of $10,000.

The trustees approved the five teachers' colleges' requests for a total of $96,399,928 for permanent improvements The requests will be submitted to the state legislature.

The colleges, and their approved improvements requests, are:

Northern Illinois State Teachers college, DeKalb, $21,188,315.

Southern Illinois university, Carbondale, $36,955,170.

Eastern Illinois State college, Charleston, $13,572,522.

Illinois State Normal, $15,648,957.

Western Illinois State college, Macomb, $9,034,964.

Presidential Board in Announcement of 20% Increase for Workers

Non-Operating Help in Big Victory; Pay Boost Will Be Retroactive

Washington, Dec 17 -(AP)- A presidential board today recommended that the railroads give their "non-operating" employes a seven-cents an hour wage increase immediately and put them on a 40-hour week next September, without loss in pay.

The non-operating employes—the clerks and mechanical workers who do not operate trains—now work 48 hours a week.

Increase Retroactive

The board proposed that the seven-cent increase be retroactive to Oct. 1.

Under the proposal, the shift to the 40-hour week would be made without any change in "take home" pay. The board calculated that it would take the equivalent of a 20 per cent increase in base rates to preserve the "take home" pay unchanged.

The board estimated its proposals would cost the railroads $340,000,000 in 1949. This would include $150,000,000 for the cost of the 40-hour week from September to the end of 1949, plus the seven-cent increase for all of 1949.

Is 20 Per Cent Increase

The three-man board recommended that present basic pay rates for the workers be increased by 20 per cent to provide "the same basic earnings in 40 hours of work as now are paid for 48 hours."

The workers had asked a cut in the work week to 40 hours, without any reduction in "take home" pay, and on top of that—a 25 cents an hour wage increase.

The board's recommendations, made today to President Truman, are not binding on the carriers or unions. But such recommendations made under terms of the railway labor act usually form the basis for dispute settlements

The board said that it felt the non-operating rail workers should get the 40-hour week because "all other interstate industries have had the 40 hour week since 1938 when the fair labor standards act was adopted."

Is National Policy

The board said the 40 hour week "is now firmly a part of our national industrial policy."

The board recommended that the railroads be given until September 1, 1949, to prepare for inauguration of the shorter work week

Meanwhile, it said, an immediate seven cents hourly wage increase should be granted retroactive to Oct. 1.

The board said the seven-cent increase would be "considerably lower" than the general pattern of third round wage increases in 1948.

Goodfellow Giving Is Real Tonic

Can't you feel the hot breath of St. Nick's reindeers on the back of your neck? Well, they are right on your heels and they want you to put something in their sled that Santa Claus can deliver to some of the wistful little boys and girls who are depending upon the Goodfellows of Dixon to help them out on Christmas.

And Christmas Eve is just one week away.

Goodfellow giving is recommended as medicine that improves your own Christmas And you can well imagine what wonders it does for little folks who would be forgotten except for what you give them.

If you delay much longer you will be too late to warm up the cold little hearts that will be disappointed

Raynor Mfg. Co.	$ 25.00
United Cement, Lime & Gypsum Workers, Local Union, No. 81	25.00
Staples Funeral Home	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Hofmann	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bigge	5.00
Miss Scholl's 8th Grade, North Central	5.00
The Practical Club	5.00
Past Pres. American Legion Aux.	2.00
Friend	1.00
A Friend	10.00
Montgomery Ward & Co.	25.00
Ester and George Papadakis	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Short and son, Billy	5.00
A. & P. Store	5.00
Lee Co. Coon Hunters & Sportsmens Association	10.00
John Torrens	5.00
Red Cross Nurses Aid	5.00
Randall Warfel	5.00
Friends	10.00
Friend	2.00
American Legion Dixon Post No. 12, Inc.	15.00
Lee Co. Voiture No. 409 - 40 & 8	10.00

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Central U. S. Gets Icy Temperatures

Chicago, Dec 17 (AP) Subzero and freezing weather hit the central sections of the country again today.

Montana, the Dakotas and Minnesota got the real icy temperatures. The lows included 17 below at Miles City, Mont.; -11 at Grand Forks, N. D.; -6 at Aberdeen, S. D. and -2 at International Falls, Minn.

The freezing weather extended over most of the midwest and into the Oklahoma panhandle and westward into the Pacific Northwest.

There were several wet spots on the early morning weather map Snow fell in the New England states and rain was reported on the east coast into the Gulf states. There also was rain over most of California and temperatures dropped Los Angeles reported a reading of 44 during the night Light snow fell in the Rocky mountains and also in the upper Great Lakes region.

Begin Mounting New Traffic Warnings

Electricians today started work on mounting new electric signals in conjunction with the traffic lights at First street and Peoria and First and Galena avenue intersections The new signals will flash the "no left turn" warning in a more conspicuous manner than the smaller units which were installed early last summer. The signals will be mounted above the regular stop and go signals

Illinois Bell Wants Increase, But Fast!

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP)—The Illinois Bell Telephone company claims it needs a rate "increase right now". A petition for a permanent boost averaging 16 per cent and affecting 323 communities is being heard by the Illinois Commerce commission.

The company plans to ask for a temporary boost while the permanent raise is being considered. It is said it wants the ICC to hear its arguments for the temporary increase next week at Springfield.

Leslie N. Jones, company counsel, said he would seek this when the hearings reconvene at Springfield Tuesday.

Jones told the commission the firm "needs an increase right now".

Lincoln Food Train Campaign Goes Over

The generosity of the people in Lee County has resulted in a very successful campaign for the Abraham Lincoln Food train. The executive committee met Thursday afternoon in the Lee County Farm Bureau office in Amboy to compute the results, and are happy to report receipts of $7,214, with additional amounts to be received.

The carload of evaporated milk will be dedicated at Amboy, Tuesday, December 21, at three o'clock. A special service has been arranged with clergymen of the three cooperating overseas organizations participating.

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MARKETS

Markets at a Glance

(By The Associated Press)

New York—
Stocks—Steady; price changes narrow.
Bonds—Irregular some rails improve.
Cotton—Higher; trade and New Orleans buying.
Chicago—
Wheat—Steady; cash receipts slump.
Corn—Mostly steady; government raises bid price for cash corn
Oats—Steady in very light trade
Soybeans—Steady with grains.
Hogs—Unevenly steady to 75 cents lower; top $22.50.
Cattle—Fully steady choice load lots absent.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP) Wheat No. 3 red tough 2.34.

Corn: No. 2 yellow 1.45@45¼; No. 3, 1.43@44; No. 4, 1.33¼@43¾; No. 5, 1.26½@33½; sample grade 1.23¾; No. 3 white 1.44½; No. 4, 1.41¼.

Oats: No. 1 heavy mixed 87¼; No. 3 heavy white 86¼; No. 1 heavy special red 87.

Barley nominal, malting 1.20@66; feed 1.02@20.

Field seed per cwt nominal; timothy 17.00@18.00; sweet clover 15.00@16.00.

Soybeans: No. 2 yellow 2.50½; No. 3, 2.48¼, track country station Illinois and Indiana.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP) Butter unsettled receipts 427,905; prices unchanged except ¼ cent a pound lower on 93 score AA at 64.75.

Eggs steady to firm; receipts 14,137; prices unchanged.

(USDA)—Live poultry; steady to firm; receipts 15 trucks; prices unchanged.

(USDA)—Potatoes arrivals 69 on track 223; total U S shipments 1,097; supplies moderate; demand fair; market steady, slightly firmer undertone; Colorado red McClures 3.75@80; Idaho russet burbanks 3.55@77½; bakers 3.85@41.5, utilities 2.55; Minnesota-North Dakota red river valley bliss triumphs 3.25@70.

Producc close:

Storage eggs: Dec 42.95; Jan 42.80@70; Oct 47.10@30.

Butter—Storage: Dec 61.50; Jan 60.10; Mar 59.25.

DIXON CASH GRAIN BIDS

New corn	$1.32
32 No. 2 white oats	80c
No. 2 wheat	2.05
Soybeans	2.40

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Dixon 40% Hog Balancer	5.50
Dixon 32% Beef Supplement	4.60
16% Dairy	3.20
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Tankage	6.50
Soybean Meal	4.50
Linseed Meal	4.90
Cottonseed Meal	4.50
Bran	2.75
Midds	3.10

DIXON MILLS, Inc.
PHONE 325

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec	2.36½	2.37⅝	2.36¼	2.35⅝
May	2.25¾	2.26¾	2.25⅜	2.25¾
July	2.07¾	2.07¼	2.06⅜	2.07
Sept	2.07¼	2.08⅛	2.06⅞	2.07½
CORN—				
Dec	1.42¼	1.43½	1.42⅛	1.43⅜
May	1.46¾	1.48¼	1.46¾	1.47⅝
July	1.46¼	1.47	1.46	1.46¼
Sept	1.40⅞	1.41⅜	1.40⅜	1.40⅜
OATS—				
Dec	82¼	84	82⅛	83⅞
May	76½	77¼	76½	77
July	71¾	72½	71¾	72⅜
Sept				70¼
RYE—				
Dec	1.71	1.72	1.71	1.72
May	1.66	1.67	1.66	1.67
SOYBEANS—				
Dec	2.56½	2.58¾	2.56½	2.58
Mar	2.59½	2.61¾	2.59¼	2.60
May	2.56½	2.58¾	2.56½	2.56¾
July	2.52½	2.54¼	2.52½	2.52¾
LARD—				
Dec	17.15	17.50	17.15	17.50
Jan	16.72	17.12	16.72	17.00
Mar	16.70	17.15	16.70	17.05
May	16.75	17.17	16.75	17.05
July	16.85	17.15	16.85	17.02

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP)—(USDA)—Salable hogs 11,000, total 17,000; butchers under 220 lb very slow, 50@75 cents lower; closed at full decline; heavier weights steady to mostly 25 cents lower; sows unevenly weak to 50 cents lower, decline on weights over 475 lb; top 22.50; bulk good and choice 170-220 lb 21.25@22.25; 230-250 lb 20.50@21.25; 260-310 lb 19.50@20.50; heavier weights scarce; good and choice 300-450 lb sows 16.75@17.75; few 18.00; weights 475-600 lb 15.00@16.75; odd head heavier weights below 15.00.

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Salable cattle 1,500, total 1,700; salable calves 300, total 300; fully steady; some low-grade cows 25 cents higher odd head choice yearling steers 32.00@35.00; medium and good fed steers 23.25@28.00, including good around 1,400 lb Nebraskas at 26.25; common and medium heifers 18.00@23.00; few medium to good beef cows 18.00@19.00; canners and cutters 14.00@17.00; sausage bulls 22.50 down; medium to choice vealers 28.00@32.00; top 32.00; load choice 693 lb feeding steers 24.75; three loads medium 750 lb Canadians 20.00.

Salable sheep 1,500, total 2,000; slaughter lambs 25 cents lower; practical top 24.00 on shorn offerings; woolskins 24.75; ewes steady at 10.50 down.

Estimated salable receipts tomorrow, 300 hogs, 300 cattle, and 200 sheep.

It Wasn't Christmas Tree Cord, Kids Learn

Rock Falls, Ill., Dec. 17—(AP)—Firemen said children who plugged in an electric iron, thinking it was a Christmas tree light cord, caused a fire which resulted in considerable damage at the R. H. Smith home yesterday.

The children were playing with the lights, plugging them on and off. Finally they plugged in the cord from an electric iron which was on a board nearby. Shortly afterward the family left the house. Neighbors discovered the

Goodfellows

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St. Agnes Guild	5.00
Lee County Chapter Reserve Officers Assn.	5.00
Anna Louise Merrick	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Shaulis	5.00
In Memory of I. M. Goodwin	2.50
B. P. O. Elks	25.00
Evar Swanson Co.	10.00
Chuckie Willet	5.00
Newman Motor Sales	10.00
C. H. Newman Family, in memory of "Bill" Newman	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Healy	2.00
Dixon Rotary Club	10.00
Highland Avenue Club	5.00
Dr. and Mrs. Z. Glatter and Tommy	3.00
Geo. E. Boynton	5.00
Dixon Chapter Ill. Reserve Militia Assoc.	5.00
Trein's Jewelry	10.00
Navy Club Aux Ship 97	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Clarkson	5.00
Amvets Dixon Post No. 123	15.00
Help Your Neighbor Club	5.00
Friend	5.00
A. M. V. E. T. Aux	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Sloter	2.00
Dixon Motors	25.00
Dixon Woman's Club	5.00
Mrs. L. R. Follett	1.00
Hurd Real Estate	10.00
Keynolds Wire Co.	25.00
A Friend	1.00
S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A.	25.00
Wa-Tan-Ye club	100.00
William Worley	5.00
In memory Paul Reynolds	5.00
Woosung Women's club	5.00
Evening Telegraph	25.00
Florence Radke	5.00
Twentieth Century Literary Club	6.00
Jewish Welfare Fund	15.00
Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Anderson	5.00
Louis Pitcher	5.00
C. B. Fowler	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Rink	25.00
Oscar Johnson Motor Co.	10.00
St. Anne's Guild	5.00
Michael Nelson	10.00
Mrs. E. J. Randall	1.00
Deluxe Cleaners	10.00
Typographical Union No. 935	5.00
Jones Funeral Home	10.00
Prairieville Social Circle	10.00
Friends	10.00
Mrs. Viola Sheets	1.00
W. C. Dysart and Anna Dysart (Fund for Charity Knights Templar	10.00
Stjernan Club	5.00
M/Sgt. Norman A. Jones.	10.00
Dixon Police Department.	10.00
Dixon Building Employers Assoc.	25.00
United Steel Workers of America, No. 2086	25.00
Jr. Chamber of Commerce	25.00
In Memory of Jacob Sinow	10.00
Mrs. Harry Wienman and Radio Cast	15.00
Friend	5.00
Friend	5.00
Friend	5.00
Mrs. Fred Enichen	3.00
American Legion Aux.	5.00
Grace Girton	1.00
Pixakota Gun Club	25.00
Dr. J. B. Werren	5.00
Ill. State Highway Employees Local 224	10.00
David Michael Thomas	2.50
Senior Home 201, A. C. Bowers	10.00
Ideal Club	2.00
Connie and Charles Brink	2.00
G. W.	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lieving	3.00
John Fitzsimmons	5.00
Naylor and Company	11.00
Employes of Rock River Ready Mix	17.00
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gorman	5.00
Chicago Ave. Self Service Laundry	5.00
Chapter A.C. P.E.O. Ilinois	5.00
Total	$897.00

Coming to Dixon

JOHN DOLCE

Of Chicago, is well known in the entertainment field and is a recognized authority on square dancing, for he is listed in "Who's Who in Roller Skating".

Mr. Dolce has been coming to Dixon each month for more than a year to conduct square dances at the Dome Rink and he will return to this city next Tuesday evening for another of these gala events.

Square dancing is making a comeback in this country and is proving to be most popular with young and old alike.

Square dance enthusiasts from Dixon and the surrounding territory will be given an opportunity to enjoy another evening of this entertainment next Tuesday evening, December 21st.

The party is scheduled to begin at 9:30 p. m. and the management of the Dome Rink extends a cordial invitation to all to come and join in the fun. —Adv.

Church News

CHURCH OF GOD
221 West Morgan street
James M. Watkins, pastor

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Sermon at 11 o'clock.

Sunlite Bible class, Wednesday at 3:30 p. m.

Berean Bible class, Wednesday evening at 7:15.

Truth Seekers Bible class of the air Sunday morning at 8:15 over station WAIT.

"The Town of Bethlehem" cantata and program by the children will be given Sunday evening at 7:30.

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Hennepin avenue and Second street

Our Christmas program will be given by the pupils of the Bible School at 9:30 a. m. under the direction of Miss Golda Cunningham.

Divine worship and the Lord's Supper at 10:30 a. m. Anthem by the choir, "O Night of Holy Memories." Christmas sermon by the pastor, from the theme, "Let Us Go Even Unto Bethlehem."

The Christmas Eve service will be held in the sanctuary of the church Friday night at 7:45. William Nettz, Lee Stauffer, Estherbelle McLennan and Lucille Pool will have charge of the program.

The Junior choir will meet for rehearsal Friday evening at 4:00. The choir wil meet Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH
Rev. R. L. French, pastor
3rd Sunday of advent.

Sunday masses at 8 a. m., and 10:30 a. m.

Confessions Saturday, 4 and 5 p. m., 7 p. m., to 8 p. m.

Daily mass at 7:30 a. m.

Thursday, Dec. 23rd, confessions 4 to 5 p. m.; 7 to 8:30 p. m.

Friday, Dec. 24th, confessions 4 to 5 p. m.; 7 to 8:30 p. m.

Christmas Day, Dec. 25th: Midnite Mass at 12 p. m.; Christmas masses at 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.

PERSONALS

—Turkey Party Dinner, Moose Hall, Sat., Dec. 18, 1948. Advt1

—SCRAMBLE SUPPER at St. Patrick's Hall. Sponsored by the Catholic Women's Club of St. Patrick's church, Thursday evening, Dec. 16. Guest speaker will be Father Marlini. Advt1

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—FOOD SALE AND FANCY WORK at VENIER JEWELRY STORE. Saturday, Dec, 18, 9:00. Sponsored by Catholic Women's Club of St. Patrick's church. Bring food and fancy work in early. Advt1

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Legislators Hear

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they need 150 additional employes right now, but the doctor pointed out that it is extremely difficult to obtain the workers because of the low wages being paid by the state. If the state welfare department gives employes various employment benefits now enjoyed by workers in private industry, "the state hospital at Dixon will need one and one-third workers for every available job." He was referring to the fact that the institution is a 7-day-a-week proposition, and said that if "certain employment benevolences are given" then it will be necessary to put on additional people. There is a proposal to limit the hours of work in state institutions to 40 hours a week. Presently they are working 48 hours a week. With additional "sick leave" and vacation time it would be necessary to employ people to fill in the gaps.

Answering a query put to him by Rep. George S. Brydia, Prophetstown, Dr. Belinson stated that 1,800 of the 4,650 patients at the hospital are assigned to jobs. Another statement that more than 60 per cent of the food preparation and serving at the institution is done by patients caused a lifting of legislative eye-brows.

"What are we going to do?" asked Dr. Belinson. "We don't have an adequate staff. You just can't throw up your hands and walk away from the situation."

A Permanent Problem

Hubert D. Considine, Dixon businessman, wanted to know what the possibilities were of reducing the enrollment at the hospital. Dr. Belinson advised him that approximately "one-half of the patients now here will always be here." The other half, consisting of epileptics, cripples and delinquents whose habit patterns will not allow them to live normally, may be in and out of institutions for many years to come, he indicated.

Rep. Brydia was critical of "Chicago judges who send a lot of these people to the Dixon hospital." Skirting gingerly around this premise, Dr. Belinson said that "the St. Charles type of person sent here is a misfit and upsets the program we have set up." He expressed his opinion that the Dixon State hospital should be an institution where patients of the type who can be guided, should be sent. One of the representatives volunteered the statement off the record, that the St. Charles type of patient "is almost hopeless."

Are Committed Earlier

It was brought out during the discussion that the population of the hospital is steadily increasing. In response to queries as to the reason for this, Dr. Belinson pointed out that children are now being committed at a much earlier age than in other years gone by, because of the fact that psychiatrists and others have instilled in the minds of parents that the presence of a feeble-minded or retarded person in a household "has a demoralizing effect on the members of that household." The doctor said that he does not subscribe to that theory. He stated that in years gone by many families kept such unfortunates within the home circle and did not want them to be sent to institutions.

Have Waiting Lists

"This new trend has caused our enrollment to rise to such an extent that we always have waiting lists," the doctor said.

Business Manager Handy told the legislators that it costs the state of Illinois about $575 per patient a year at the Dixon hospital. He also said that a study by impartial groups revealed that the institution here is "one of the most economically operated of any welfare set-up in the state." Legislators present admitted this statement.

Hospital authorities did not indicate what the budget requirements of the institution are for the next two years, leaving that for the welfare department at Springfield to take up with the budget commission.

But it isn't peanuts!

Lodges

American Legion The American Legion will hold a scramble supper Sunday at its club rooms. Meat and coffee will furnished but members should bring a dish to pass and a gift for the gift bag. Santa Claus will make an appearance and dancing is scheduled.

Amvets A semi-formal dance will be held at Amvets hall, Dec. 22, by the Auxiliary of Amvet Post No. 123. Music will be furnished by the Jam-Vets orchestra.

In making coconut cream pie add some of the coconut to the filling and save some to sprinkle over the top.

Dip fish fillets in cornmeal before frying for an attractive, crisp, good tasting crust.

Mrs. Murdock of

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preceded her in death. Two granddaughters also survive her. Arrangements were completed at the Farrell funeral home which provide for the service from the home Saturday afternoon at 2:30 with Rev. Edwin S. Hunt, pastor of the Oregon Methodist church, officiating. Interment will be in Riverview cemetery. Friends may call at the residence after 5 o'clock this evening.

(Telegraph Special Service)

Oregon, Dec. 17—Mrs. Annie U. Leicester, aged 79, passed away at an early hour this morning at her home in Oregon, death resulting from infirmities. She was born February 28, 1869 at Oldham, Lancashire, England, and came to this country about 40 years ago. Her husband, the late William F. Leicester and one daughter, preceded her in death and she is survived by one grandson who resides in California. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the Farrell funeral home, Rev. Paul R. Bollman, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church officiating and burial will be in Riverview cemetery.

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LEE COUNTY INFIRMARY

Services at 3:00 p. m. in charge of the Rev. Fr. Vernon L. S. Jones.

Supreme Court's

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have jurisdiction, then all the convictions will stand. But if the court holds otherwise, then it may go a step further and decide wnether or not the Tokyo tribunal was legally set up.

If the decision is that it was not, the convictions would be set aside. But if it ruled the tribunal was legal, the sentences again would stand.

A small amount of minced onion and parsley added to scalloped potatoes improve their flavor.

The Weather

FRIDAY, DEC. 17, 1948

ILLLINOIS FORECASTS — Northern Illinois, generally fair tonight; Saturday increasing cloudiness and slightly warmer; low tonight 17 to 22, high Saturday near 40. Southern Illinois, genearally fair tonight; Saturday increasing cloudiness and slightly warmer. Low tonight 22 to 28, high Saturday 40 to 45.

LOCAL READINGS

For the 24 hours ending at 7 p. m. Thursday—Maximum temperature 41, minimum 31; clear.

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Livestock Raisers Gather Today for Confab at Oregon

(Telegraph Special Service)

Oregon, Dec. 16—Ogle county livestock raisers' meeting to discuss the proposed new statewide cooperative livestock marketing organization, incorporating both the producer agencies on the central markets and Illinois Livestock Marketing association, was slated at 1:30 p. m. in the Farm Bureau building today.

A representative from the Illinois Agricultural association was scheduled to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kuntzelman will entertain their couples bridge club at a Christmas party Thursday night

Mr. and Mrs. William Scherer of East Dorset, Vt., were guests for several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Bass.

Mrs. Martha Meyers spent the week end in Freeport at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Meyers.

Charles Lamb will be home from the University of Wisconsin on Friday to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hintz and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kiest of Chicago were Sunday visitors at the Roland L. Kiest home. C. B. Kiest accompanied the guests back to Chicago to remain for the holidays.

The VFW Auxiliary will meet Friday night at Rebekah hall for a Christmas party, beginning with a scramble supper at 6:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Condron who recently came to the U. S. from Shanghai, China, spent several days last week visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Joseph F. Reed.

Mrs. John Franklin and Mrs. Harry Wade entertained the members of their bridge club at a Christmas party Wednesday night at the Wade home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Koontz entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koontz and son Steve of Lindenwood, Mrs. Henrietta Tholen and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Myers and family at dinner Sunday in observance of the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Tholen and Eugene Myers.

Robert Armstrong and son Allen attended funeral services Tuesday for Mr. Armstrong's grandfather, H. H. DeVore at Conesville, Ia. Mr. DeVore had passed his 90th birthday and was a great-great grandfather.

The Oregon Lodge A. F. & A. M. held a special meeting Monday night at the hall. Two Fellow Craft degrees were conferred after which refreshments were served. The fellowship was enjoyed by 30 members and guests. Guests were present from Mt. Morris and Chicago.

WARMOLTS CLINIC NOTES

Mrs. Charles Fouch and Delores Herring were admitted to Warmolts clinic as medical patients.

Mrs. David Genandt of Leaf River, Mrs. Carmie Burright and Mrs. Kenneth Davis were dismissed from the clinic on Sunday.

Frances Head of Chana was dismissed from the clinic Monday.

Misses Mae Collins and Mary Jane Sharick spent Saturday in Chicago.

Rev. Martin J. Prehn attended a New Life Movement meeting Tuesday in Peoria.

Miss Anne Grennan came from Sterling today to spend the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nick McGrath.

Mrs. Robert Armstrong will entertain her bridge club at a Christmas party Thursday evening.

On Monday evening the eighth grade Girl Scouts decorated the Christmas tree at the public library which was a gift from Sinnissippi Farm.

The eighth grade Girl Scouts had a Christmas party Wednesday evening at the grade school building and the seventh grade Girl Scouts will have a Christmas party at the school Thursday evening.

Donald L. Lewis Gets Army School Diploma

(Telegraph Special Service)

Fort Warren, Wyo., Dec. 17—Pfc. Donald L. Lewis, son of Mrs. Lulu Lewis of 1310 Ninth street, Dixon, has graduated from the shovel operator's course at the USAF technical school at Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyo. This course is one of the more than 20 offered at Ft. Warren, a base of the technical division of the air training. Young airmen may learn skills ranging from clerk-typist to bulldozer operator and including drafting, welding, automobile repairing, carpentry, stenography and many others. The graduates are assigned to air force bases throughout the world to work in their respectvie specialties as part of the peacetime air force team.

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Asia, with 1,157,000,000 people, is the only continent with a population of more than a billion.

Amboy

More than 700 attended the 33rd annual meeting of the Lee County Farm Bureau which was held at the Farm Bureau building in Amboy on Saturday, December 11th.

Lunch was served at noon by the units of the Lee County Home bureau with Mrs. Raymond Hodges of Dixon in charge. Music was furnished during the noon hour by the Amboy Township high school band under the direction of Miss Donna Long, who was substituting for Mr. J. Edward Coe, the director.

The afternoon session was opened by the president, Mr. Howard Ritchie. Secy.-Treas. gave a report on the election of the directors from all of the various townships. This was followed by the report of the president, J. E. Mau. Following his report Mr. Mau introduced several distinguished guests. This was followed by a short talk by Dr. John Zur, Lee county health department. Rev. Montanus and his family of Ashton next presented several numbers, both vocal and instrumental. Miss Joanne Klubek, bookkeeper for the Lee County Farm Bureau sang two numbers.

DR. CASE GIVES TALK

Dr. H. C. M. Case of the University of Illinois gave the main address of the day with a talk on "Economic Problems."

The Ashton Junior Barbershop Quartette vaudeville act consisting of four little boys and a little girl under the direction of Ruth Foyd Gustafson of Ashton entertained for about a half hour. The drawing of the door prizes followed, after which the meeting was adjourned.

UNCLE DIES

Rev. Allen Baker of Peoria, an uncle of Mrs. John M. Hayes of Amboy, passed away Saturday, Dec. 11, 1948. He was a retired minister. The body was taken to Mount Zion for final rites Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes were called to Peoria Sunday and returned home Monday.

WELCOME BABY

Mr. and Mrs. John Reilly of Sterling welcomed a baby daughter at Sterling public hospital, Thursday, Dec. 14. She has been named Helen Marie. Mrs. Carrie Reilly of Amboy is the paternal grandmother.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Members and officers of Arbutus Chapter O.E.S. held a school of instruction Wednesday afternoon and evening in Masonic hall. There was a good sized crowd present and a scramble supper was enjoyed at 6:00 o'clock. Margaret Lovett conducted the school of instruction.

ENTERTAINED AT BRIDGE

Mrs. John Eisenberg was hostess to her bridge club last Wednesday evening at her home on North Mason avenue. There were two tables of players and the high and honors prize were won by Mrs. Charles Welty. Second prize went to Mrs. Robert Kochler. Others present were Mrs. John Elliott, Mrs. Orval Spurlin, Mrs. Roland Becker, Mrs. Frank Hiatt and Mrs. Wm. Schneider. To conclude the evening the hostess served a lunch.

AMBOY PERSONALS

Paul Hart has been quite ill at his home with a sore throat

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schlesinger of Mendota and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stephenitch of Amboy spent last Saturday in Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers and daughters Misses Rosemary and Betty and Fred Jahn spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hauskins and family at Bloomington.

Clayton Elliott returned home Monday from Polo where he had been with his brother, Bert Elliott, who was very ill, and is still in a critical condition.

Miss Betty Powers and Fred Jahn were Dixon visitors Saturday evening.

Ms. Ray Hillison went to Dwight Thursday to visit over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Covill. Mr. Hillison and daughter Gwen will join her there Saturday and attend the Amboy-Dwight basketball game.

John Shannon came home Saturday from St. Regis college at Denver, Colo., and spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shannon. Sunday he left for Chicago, where he is employed at the Chicago post office during the holiday season. Jimmy Shannon, who attends DePaul University in Chicago, and John will both be here to spend Christmas with their parents.

Miss Yvonne Robbins, student at Bradley University, Peoria, will arrive home Sunday night to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Robbins. She will return to shool January 3.

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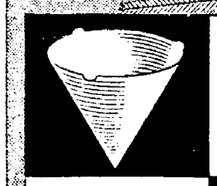

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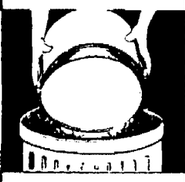

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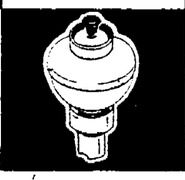

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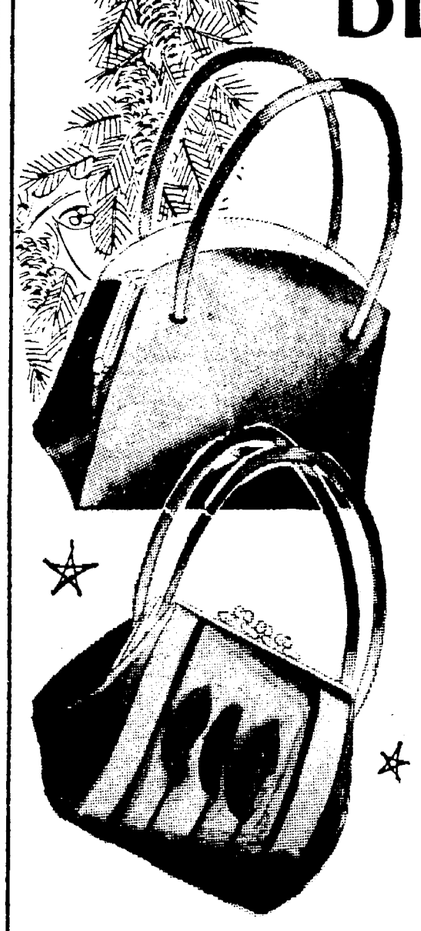

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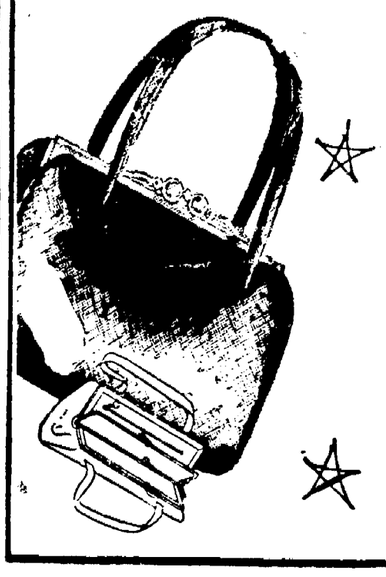

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THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Precepts are the rules by which we ought to square our lives
—Seneca

AIRLINES MERGER

The proposed merger of American Overseas Air Lines with the trans-Atlantic division of Pan American Airways may raise a question in some minds. It may even bring accusations of monopoly. For the three principal American lines on this route (Trans World Airlines is the other) carry 70 per cent of the passenger traffic. And all three are operating at a profit.

But even if there were only one American line flying the North Atlantic there would still be competition. There are four major foreign companies on the same run. And though they are dividing only a quarter of the business among them, it is quite possible that their percentage of profit is higher.

Prices among these competitors are fixed by international agreement. But the foreign lines are owned and operated by their own governments. The American lines, on the other hand, are only partially subsidized. Our government guarantees a minimum payment for air mail, and that's the extent of it. Yet it reportedly costs an American line twice as much as the British line and three times as much as the Dutch to operate a plane at the fixed tariff.

So it can be seen that while they have [illegible] the business the American lines cannot afford to run many half-empty planes across the ocean. And lack of capacity business seems a big reason for the proposed AOPA-PAA merger.

In a way American air and ship lines on the Atlantic are in the same fix, although the air lines obviously have the best of it. The S S America is the only one of our ships that can compete for the luxury trade with Britain's two Queens and other big passenger liners, and this competition is not very keen. American air equipment is on a par with its competitors, and it is more numerous. Yet both types of carrier must face the problem of much higher labor costs and incomplete subsidy.

Foreign airlines are buying the latest and best American equipment. Our lines must do the same, if they are to enjoy supremacy in at least one of the two means of trans-oceanic travel. And with new Boeing Stratocruisers at about $1,500,000 a throw, that is quite an item.

If a merger of two lines can help maintain that supremacy through more efficient operation and can reduce the government's subsidy expense in the process the question of monopoly seems academic rather than realistic.

By Westbrook Pegler

In Which Mr. Pegler Tells of An Unexpected Meeting With His Old Chum Justice Frankfurter

You aren't supposed to [illegible] view justices of the supreme court but I am an uncon[illegible] of [illegible] impulse so I rattled th[illegible] a d[illegible] so I said gimme Executive 1640 hello supreme court [illegible] speak to Justice Douglas please.

She said [illegible] was busy. Could [illegible] But it was late at [illegible] the Gridiron [illegible] up to the [illegible] hear from [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Bill Hearst a [illegible] Well I th[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Yes [illegible]

"Ho[illegible] times [illegible] in [illegible] well you [illegible] inimitable [illegible] Justice Holmes ho-he no.

Sounds like double talk [illegible] I said but an [illegible] ed to [illegible] you when Walter [illegible] han poked his face [illegible] to the happy little circle and said Mr P have you met the godfather of Alger Hiss?"

INTERVIEW WITH DOUGLAS

Well time marches on so after I had lost my brash about an interview with Justice Douglas this secretary calls and I am having lunch with the man from the wide open spaces at 2 o'c[illegible] in his chambers. I have [illegible] hung around the supreme court much so I got there an hour early to case the joint and memorize the exits and the first thing you know there we are in a red plush [illegible] jotting down descriptive matter. Four marble pillars about [illegible] high on each side heavy plush curtains and tasty expensive [illegible] Kremlin red. But [illegible] a subdued design showing [illegible] rods surmounted by a little [illegible] Mussolini's old Fascist emblem so the court seems neutral. Nervous guy stands acting [illegible] court talking about some big [illegible] business and some [illegible] wants $10,000. Couple of little kids blue suits rushing glasses of water (could be gin) to parties wanting refreshment.

With a loud cough Chief Justice Vinson slammed his mace down cutting the guy off in the middle of a syllable. But it seems he had plenty of warning because there is a little light on the pulpit which blinks five minutes before his time is up and again one minute before. If he can't get his traps down with those warnings let him crash.

Now we are in the chambers of Justice William O Douglas and I am pretty sore because he went out to Portland, Ore. and made a speech advising all that muscle to get into international politics and take over the diplomacy of the United States in our relations with the European countries [illegible] are being handled by [illegible]

He said the "labor" [illegible] western Europe are [illegible] concentration camps [illegible] bitterly suspi[illegible] as he undisclosed [illegible] story interests.

Well the most [illegible] of the [illegible] is that we have a [illegible] of people that I [illegible] ing to assume [illegible] up to our [illegible]

OPPORTUNITY FOR LABOR

[illegible] advised [illegible] and warned [illegible] Justice William O Douglas [illegible] did say I was [illegible] opportunity [illegible] this country. When I say I don't mean any part [illegible] as between the CIO and AFL or independent [illegible] opportunity to step up [illegible] take the lead [illegible] the battle.

It [illegible] use of the word battle [illegible] a great [illegible] politica[illegible] although you never [illegible] tell when it might boil over between Kremlin Communism and the American way in the countries on the hither side of the Iron Curtain.

"I was arguing," he said "for labor to step up to its responsibilities and use its influence and its weight on the side of the democracies. At this time it is in a strong position to do it because those large governments come from the [illegible] kind of environment of labor people as our unioneers and I thought the place to say it was before a labor group."

I told him our unioneers were not fit representatives of this country abroad because they had absolutely no respect for the inherent human rights and constitutional liberties of our people and more over never were elected to their jobs by our people. Grafters slugs [illegible] dictators gangsters. And I [illegible] certainly [illegible] to know that their union constitutions were violent affronts to the very concept of American government which he was calling on them to sell these Europeans.

"Maybe that's true," Mr Douglas said. But he said he hadn't studied their constitutions anyway. He couldn't very well go into that because we get this stuff before us all the time—internal [illegible] rows and rows between individual members.

Well I said maybe you shouldn't have mentioned it in the first place.

"Maybe that's true," he said "But I'm not orthodox. I pay the same taxes as anyone else and if it doesn't interfere with my work of course [illegible] Sentence seems to be unfinished here. Something about his right to have his say.

What do you make of such a fellow? He doesn't study their constitutions which are notorious like their conduct and he couldn't discuss them anyhow because some case might come up calling for his fresh unprejudiced judgment. But [illegible] his mind to their reputation [illegible] [illegible] interest [illegible] to an [illegible] the same corrup[illegible] that [illegible] have [illegible] in the United States of A[illegible]

Record For November State Egg Production

Springfield Ill Dec 17—(AP)—Illinois egg production reached a record for November high last month the state federal agriculture departments reported today.

Production totaled 172,000,000 eggs, 10,000,000 more than in November 1947 and 35,000,000 over the 10 year average.

November milk production in Illinois amounted to 573,000,000 pounds or two per cent above the same month last year.

Obituaries

Suburban—

REESE BRIDGEMAN

Reese Bridgeman of Woosung passed away at the St Francis hospital in Freeport Thursday afternoon about 3 o'clock. He was born in Appanoose county Iowa March 21 1875. Surviving besides his wife are three step daughters Helen Donald at home Mrs Lloyd (Agnes) Bridgeman Mrs Lester (Neva) Jones both of Woosung also three grandchildren one brother Joshua of Unionville Ia and one sister, Mrs Eli Smith of Unionville Ia, and many nieces and nephews. He had resided in Woosung since 1915. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 15 at the Melvin funeral home and at 2 30 from the First Christian church the pastor Rev H E Trimble officiating. Burial will take place in Oakwood cemetery.

Patent Infringement Complaint Is Heard

Danville Ill Dec 17—(AP)—Federal Judge Walter C Lindley yesterday took under advisement a patent infringement charge filed by the Losee Products Company Chicago.

The firm alleges its patents on a water heater have been infringed upon by Lack and Company, Decatur. It described the Decatur firm as the nominal defendant but said the real defendant is the U S Motor Corporation Oshkosh Wis manufacturer of the heater alleged to be an infringement.

The defense attorneys contend the patent is invalid because prior patents covering the same type heater have run out.

—Turkey Party Dinner, Moose Hall, Sat, Dec 18 1948
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BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN

We're all finding out that a good disposition is no match for a bad winter cold.

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Men's neckties resembling silk are made of rubber in France. And the styles are the snappiest.

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We hear that Santa is almost ready to deliver his collection of toys. It's in the bag!

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Despite the prevalence of soap box orators, dirty politics still persists.

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A man in Ohio socked a bus driver for asking him to take a back seat. He took affront!

SPECIAL MOVIES

Special movies are being sponsored each Saturday at 11 o'clock in the First Methodist church by the Dixon Council of Christian Education. All children are most cordially invited to attend.

The last stronghold of the Indian lion is in the mountains of the Kathiawar Peninsula.

Rock Falls Bachelor Dies After Accident

Rock Falls Ill Dec 17—(AP)—Olaf Abrahamson 48 stumbled and fell while at work in a Rock Falls factory Tuesday. He was given first aid for what appeared to be a minor head injury and went home.

Abrahamson, a bachelor, was found dead in his home yesterday. A physician said he had suffered a skull fracture.

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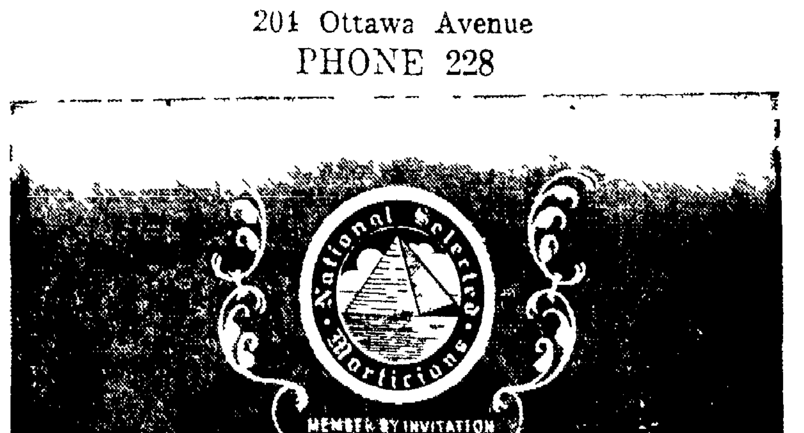

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Christmas Carols—Lyn Murray Singers —C-94 Col
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Bible Stories for Children—Told by Claude Rains. Music by Nathaniel Shilkret —DB94 Cap
The Little Lost Star with Miss Mairy Holiday and Santa Claus —MMP13 Merc
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—Vol 2 (for children 6 to 9) —M1063 Vic
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—Gene Krupa—38214 Col.
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Santa Claus is Coming to Town
—Hoosier Hot Shots
—American Novelty Orch.
—20472—Col.
Dance of the Comedians
Diane
—Harmonicats—136 Univ
The Night Before Christmas
Little Jesus
Basil Rathbone—7407 Col -12
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Once in Love With Amy
—Dean Martin—15239 Cap
A Little Bird Told Me
What Did You Do To Me
—Blue Lu Barker—15308 Cap
Lavendar Blue
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—Dinah Shore—38299 Col.
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My Own True Love
—Vaughn Monroe—20-3252
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You Grew Up to Be Some Baby
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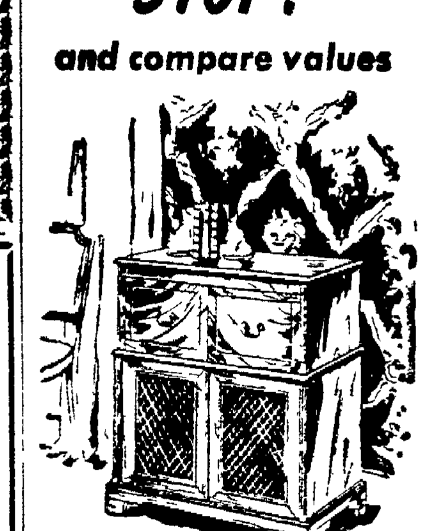

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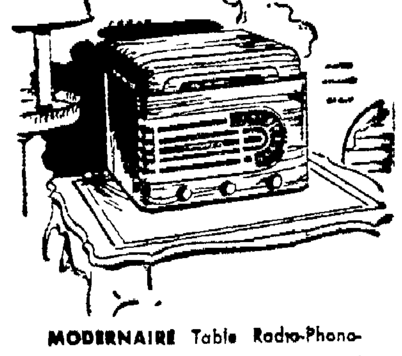

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THE STORY: Durand, having succumbed once more to his wife's fascination tells her they can't return to New Orleans because Downs is now on her trail. They had best go to another large city, where they can lose themselves.

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MOBILE, then.

They went to the finest hotel there, and like the bride and groom they were in everything but count of time they took its finest suite, its bridal suite. Chamber and sitting room, height of luxury, lace curtains over the windows, maroon drapes, Turkish carpeting thick on the floors, and even that seldom-met-with innovation, a private bath of their own.

Bellhops danced attendance on them from morning to night, and all eyes were on them every time they came and went through the public rooms below. The petite blond always so dainty, so exquisitely dressed with the tall dark man beside her eyes for no one else. "That romantic pair from—" Nobody knew just where, but everybody knew who was meant.

Every sprightly supper resort in town knew them, every gay and brightly lighted gathering place, every theater, public ball entertainment, minstrelsy. Every time the violins played, somewhere anywhere she was in his arms there, turning in the endless fevered spirals of the waltz. Every time the moon was full she was in his arms there, somewhere, in a halted carriage, heads close together, sweetness of magnolia all around, gazing up at it with dreamy, wondering eyes.

Mobile, then, in the flood tide of their romance; and all was rapture, all was love.

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INCREASINGLY uncomfortable, and extremely bored in addition, feeling that all eyes were on him, he paced back and forth in the modiste's anteroom, and at every turn seemed to come into collision with some hurrying young girl carrying fresh bolts of goods into a curtained recess behind which Bonny had disappeared an interminable length of time previously.

He could hear her voice at intervals topping the rustles of unwound fabric lengths and carefully chosen phrases of professional inducement.

"I cannot decide! The more you bring in to show me the harder it becomes to settle on one. No, leave that, I may come back to it."

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SUDDENLY the curtains parted gripped by restraining [illegible] hands [illegible] below the breach so that it could not spread downward and her head no more peered through.

"Lou, am I taking dreadfully long? I just remembered you, out there."

"Long, but not dreadfully," he answered gallantly.

"Why don't you leave and then call back for me again?" she suggested generously.

"How soon shall I come back?"

"You had best give me a full hour and a half. I shall [illegible] that much. Or if you tire in the meantime go straight back to the hotel, and I'll follow you there."

He took up his hat with alacrity glad to make his escape.

Her [illegible] face form[illegible] its lips into a pout.

"Aren't you going to say good-by to me?"

She touched her [illegible] to show him what she meant, closed her eyes expectantly.

"In front of all these people?"

"Oh dear, how you talk! One would think you weren't my husband at all. I assure you it's perfectly proper, in such a case."

He stepped over to the curtains coloring slightly, pecked at her lips turned, and got out of the place.

Strangely, in spite of his embarrassment, he had a flattered, self-important feeling at the same time, he wondered how she had been able to give him that, and whether she had known she was doing it when she did. And secretly decided that she had.

She knew every cause, she knew every effect, she knew how to achieve them. Everything she did, she knew she did.

He set out to enjoy the afternoon sunlight, and the blue Gulf reaching to the horizon, and the crowd of strollers drifting along the shoreline promenade.

The slow baking warmth of the sun was pleasant on his shoulders and his back and occasionally a little salty breeze would come, just enough to temper it. Clouds that were thick and unshadowed as egg white broke the monotony of the sky, and on everyone's face there was a smile—as there must have been on his he at last realized for what he was seeing was the unthinking answer to his own smile, offered by face after face in passing.

He had money enough now for a long while to come and she loved him—she had shown it by inducing him to kiss her in front of a shopful of girls. What more was there to wish for?

After two complete circuits of the walking space provided he stopped at last by the wooden rail flanking it, and rested his elbows on it, and stood in contemplation with his back to the slow-moving ambulators he had just been a member of.

He had been at rest that way for perhaps two or three minutes, no more when he became conscious of that rather curiously compelling sensation that is received when someone's eyes are fixed on one steadfastly, from behind.

There was no time to be warned. The impulse was to turn and seek out the cause, and before he could check it he had done so.

He found himself staring full into the face of Downs, the St. Louis investigator just as Downs was now staring full into his.

(To Be Continued)

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Franklin Grove Amvets in Party

Franklin Grove—The teachers of the rural reading circle and their husbands enjoyed a Christmas party Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wagner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dysart, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schnell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Degner and Miss Anna Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lott entertained at dinner Sunday, Edward Zopf, Mrs. Cora Worshum, Tippecanoe, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Wes Krug of Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lott and daughter Fern, Mr. and Mrs. John Schaefer and family and Mrs. Ethel Miller, Mr. and Mrs. William Schafer of Dixon were callers in the afternoon.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

On Monday Mrs. Merril Morgan entertained a group of youngsters at a birthday party for her son Jimmy.

Mrs. Vera Gross will entertain the bridge club Tuesday night.

The first grade of the local school are having a program for their mothers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lott and Mrs. Elizabeth Graves will visit in the Clara Klaprodt home in Amboy Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lillian Dysart and Mrs. H. L. Wadsworth attended Mrs. Lena Smith's funeral at Geneva, Ill., Saturday.

DRIVE TO CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hodge and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and family motored to Chicago Sunday.

R. C. Gross and Albert Gross were in Chicago Monday on business.

The local Lions club entertained their wives Tuesday at a Christmas gift exchange party.

The Amvet Post No. 49 will entertain their wives at the Landmark in Grand Detour on Tuesday, Dec. 21. At this time they will install the following new officers: Donald Gallager, post commander; Donald Bennett, vice commander; Kenneth Sandrock, finance officer.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Spotts and son of West Brooklyn spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Chronister. The occasion was to celebrate David Spotts' second birthday.

JOINS NAVY

Harold Kline, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kline has enlisted in the navy.

Santa Claus will come to town Saturday night, Dec. 18. The Lions club has sponsored the large tree on Main street. The choirs of the local churches will combine for a 15-minute concert of Christmas songs under the sponsorship of the Woman's club. Candy for the kiddies will be furnished by the merchants.

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Morrissey School Has Party for Its Pupils

Walton—Saint Mary's church basement was the scene of a happy gathering on Sunday night when the pupils of the Morrissey school and their teacher held a box social and program. There was a large crowd and a very good time had by all.

Donald Welty and son were shoppers in Dixon Tuesday.

Mrs. John Morrissey and sons and Miss Catherine Morrissey were callers Saturday in Amboy at the Louis Shannon home.

John Fenwick and Rapheal Fenwick were shoppers in Amboy Saturday night.

Blackburn Better

The many friends of Robert Blackburn will be glad to know that he is improving, and all hope he will soon be able to return to his home.

Mrs. Edward Payne and baby son are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Payne in Amboy.

John McCoy of Maytown was a business caller in Walton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burke and family of Maytown were callers Tuesday at the home of Anna J. McCoy.

Donna Mae Oester spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oester and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Considine and family were callers in Walton Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glade Lower and daughter Mary Lou spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. E. W. Morrissey and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bushman and family.

Mrs. Gertrude Full and Mrs. James Liston of Amboy were callers last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunphy.

Mrs. Will Fitzpatrick was a caller Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fitzpatrick of Dixon.

Mrs. Irene Kelly and family were callers in Walton Wednesday morning.

Shopping Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lautzenhieser were shoppers in Dixon Tuesday.

Mrs. Melvin Daum spent the past week in LaMoille and visited at the home of Mrs. Charles Full and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Full and family.

Mrs. John Dunphy spent a few days last week in Dixon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Savoure.

Mrs. Delhotel of Maytown visited last week at the William Oester home.

Mrs. Clarence Morrissey was a caller last week in Maytown at the B. B. Friel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glade Lower and daughter of Walnut spent Sunday at the home of E. W. Morrissey and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bushman.

William Powers and Mrs. Fred Kersten of Amboy spent Sunday afternoon in Walton.

Mrs. Harold Lawler and Mrs. Nellie McCoy of Amboy called on Walton friends Friday.

Francis Finn, William and John Gugerty returned Tuesday from Kansas City, Kan., where they visited the latter's brother Harold, who is stationed there.

Robert Blackburn is a patient in the Amboy hospital is much improved and will soon be able to return to his home.

Mrs. Clarence Morrissey called at the B. B. Friel home in Maytown Thursday.

A salad children enjoy is made from banana halves srinkled with chopped roasted peanuts. Arrange the bananas on salad greens and srinkle with a little mild dressing if desired.

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Marines in Shanghai Only for Protection

Washington, Dec. 17—(AP)—Marines being sent to Shanghai have orders to protect American lives and possibly some American property but they will not defend the city.

The state department announced this today in a statement which it said was aimed at speculation in Shanghai that the U. S. is moving in to save the big Chinese port from advancing communists.

Press officer Michael J. McDermott said he understood the marines mentioned in the statement are going to Shanghai from the American naval center at Tsingtao. It previously has been reported that a force of about 700 is being dispatche.

Tears Down His Garage, Then Wins Two Autos

Kansas City, Dec.—(AP)—Clem Doerhoff tore down his garage sometime ago because he didn't have anything to keep in it and slim prospects.

But today he had two cars and no place to keep them.

He won one in a contest at an American Legion dance last night, and then had to take a taxi-cab back to get another one, given as a premium to Mrs. Doerhoff for selling the winning ticket.

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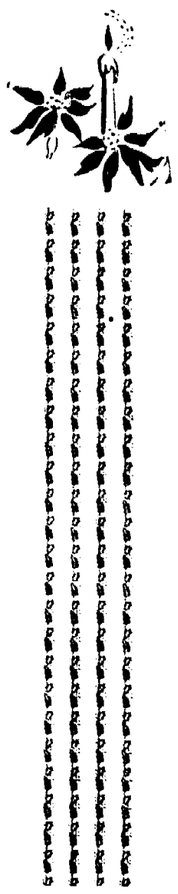
Soviet Jails Workers For Poor Production

Moscow, Dec. 17 — (AP) — Soviet courts have handed out prison sentences of five and seven years to factory managers who produced goods of poor quality, the Soviet press announced today.

The newspapers carried a special communique of the prosecuting attorney's office listing seven cases in recent weeks in which factory officials were hauled into court and given stiff penalties for failure to make their production meet standards of quality.

Apples, stuffed with whole cranberry sause and baked, are delicious served with turkey or other fowl. Choose small apples, cover the pan but baste occasionally during the baking.

Use quick-frozen fruits as soon as possible after defrosting.



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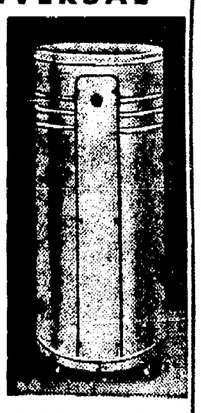

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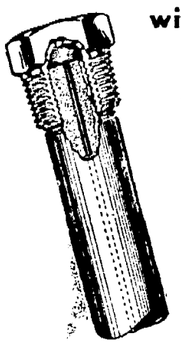

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SOCIETY NEWS

Tapered Cut Licks Cowlicks

Skillful cutting of this little girl's hair coaxes out curls and disciplines stubborn cowlicks.

By ALICIA HART, NEA Staff Writer

It's a waste of time trying to [illegible] down.

If there are a lot of [illegible] have as many as 13—at [illegible] lets around them.

Another suggestion [illegible] of Marguerite E. Buck, [illegible] double crowns or cowlicks with the [illegible] Mrs. Buck, who maintains that the trick is [illegible] shop with tapering cutting.

Mrs. Buck insists that, before curls are cut into a child's straight-as-string hair, in other words, the scissors ought to be used to coax out curl. Quite often, says this stylist, perfectly straight hair can be induced to wave if a skilled method of cutting is used.

HAMILTON UNIT HAS YULE PARTY

Members of the Hamilton Home Bureau met at the home of Mrs. Inez Norden with Mrs. Geneva Pickering as co-hostess recently.

Mary Jackson, chairman, called the meeting to order by all singing "Silent Night" and "Jingle Bells" with Mary Albrecht leading.

20 Answer Roll Call

Roll call, Time Saving Aids, was answered by 20 members. Glove lessons and metal etching were discussed and these will be held in January at the home of Mrs. Edna Hage.

New Year's Eve family night party was planned and this is to be held at the Pope school. Margaret Benson gave the vice chairman's report. Health chairman, Mrs. Edna Hoge gave the lesson on ring-worm and Mrs. Genevieve Dunn reported on the Lee County Health Department Dental Program that will be put on through all rural schools.

Reports on School

Mrs. Jackson reported on officers training school at which time Miss Mary Lou Chase of the University presided with Miss June Pilgrim, Miss Beverly Stroiss and Mrs. Deitz instructing smaller groups. Those from Hamilton unit attending the meeting were Mrs. Mary Jackson, Mrs. Mary Jackson, Mrs. Carol Hussey, Mrs. Margaret Benson and Mrs. Irene Gonigam.

Signs along the Roads, the minor lesson, was given by Mrs. Bertha Johnson. The major lesson, buffet meals, was given by Miss June Pilgrim. Meals were planned and a table set to serve a buffet meal, this being a fine lesson with much discussion following.

Gifts Received

It was then announced that the mail man had left gifts for all. The hostesses served a buffet lunch consisting of Christmas tree sandwiches, date cake, nuts and coffee.

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GAR SUPPER

Dixon Circle No. 73, Ladies of the GAR, will meet in their hall Monday evening at 6:30 for a scramble supper. Members are asked to bring a dish to pass, their own table service and an article for the gift exchange.

Gap Grove School Yule Program Is To Be Wednesday

The Gap Grove school Christmas program is to be Wednesday evening, December 22 at 8 o'clock.

Program

The following is the program which is to be presented: Greeting, Beverly Bohms; Recitation, Edith Gann; Play "Squire Hanby's Christmas": Squire Hanby, Arthur Gann; Mrs. Hanby, Wanita Gann; children, Jane Ann Gerdes and Merle Gann; minister, John Lapp; maid, Christine Bloomquist; Mrs. Boss, Jean Johnson; children, Dick Johnson, Carolyn Bloomquist and Linda Corgelines. Recitation, Patricia Johnson, recitation, Joel Lapp; piano solo, Jon Lapp; recitation, Melvin Gann; "The Christmas Story" (including pictures), Jane Ann Gerdes, Jean Johnson, Wanita Gann and Richard Greb. Christmas song to be sung by all.

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LIBRARY STORY HOUR

Adventures in Melody Land will be the title of the story hour to be held tomorrow morning at 10:15 at the Library. This fine program for children of school age will include Christmas records.

SCOUT COUNCIL HAS MEETING

Members of the Dixon Girl Scout Council met Tuesday morning at the home of Pat Carry. Among the business discussed was the annual report which must be sent in to national telling about Girl Scouting in Dixon and this was given primary importance.

Plan Reunion

Plans were made for a Girl Scout camp reunion Christmas party. This party will be for the Girl Scouts of Dixon who have attended Girl Scout camp and the date will be announced later.

Delightful refreshments were served by the hostess.

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DIXON TRAVEL CLUB

The Dixon Travel Club will hold its regular meeting Tuesday evening. To be a Christmas party and gift exchange the meeting will begin with a dinner to be served at 6:00 p. m. at the Nachusa hotel. Members are especially asked to note the time of the dinner so that it may be served promptly. Hostesses for the meeting will be the Misses Marjorie Chandler, Grace O'Malley, and Harriet Wilberger.

Hill School Pupils To Present Program

Pupils of the Hill school will present a Christmas program at the school Tuesday, December 21, at 8 p. m. Those participating will be: Rogene Fitts, Neal Buckaloo, David Fitts, Donna Fitts, Donald Pinkston, Warren McCleary, Cheryl Fitts, Charles Fitts, Elgene Moritz, Gerald Pinkston, Roger Buckaloo and Lois Moritz.

Special Numbers

Special numbers will be a cornet solo by Roger Buckaloo and a piano solo by Warren McCleary. All friends are invited to attend.

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INTERMEDIATE CLASS SALE

The Intermediate class of the Church of the Brethren will sponsor a food sale Saturday morning at the National Cleaners, Hennepin avenue. It is requested that donations be brought early, and anyone desiring to have food picked up should contact Mrs. Galen Myers, phone B1534.

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In using gumdrops for holiday cookies or fruit cakes cut them with a kitchen scissors.

Christmas Cantata and Program to Be Sunday Eve Affair

A Christmas cantata and program will be presented Sunday evening at 7:45 by the Grace Evangelical United Brethren choir.

Program

Organ Prelude — Mrs. Fern Krahler
Processional — Choir
Reception of members
Choir Anthem — "In the Highest Glory"
Solo — "Glory to Heaven's Eternal King" — Myrtle Hoffman
Anthems
"And There Were Shepherds"
"The Angel's Song" — Choir
Trio — "Silent Night — Holy Night"
R. F. Wahlbrink — Mrs. Wilbur Schroiner, Mrs. Raymond Herbert
Anthems
"First Glad Christmas Morn"
"The Light Is Come" — Choir
Reading — "A Candle for the Christchild" — Mrs. Wilbur Scroiner
Anthem
"The Song in the Air" — Choir
Offertory
"Grand Adio" — Organ and Piano
Mrs. Fern Krahler-Mrs. Raymond Herbert
Anthem
"The Choir of Bethlehem" — Choir
Benediction — Rev. P. O. Bailey
Recessional

BUSY AT UNIVERSITY

Beverly Wullenweber of 331 East Everett street, keeps herself very busy these days with her many campus activities at the University of Illinois. She is living in an independent women's house and is a sophomore majoring in psychology, sub-chairman for the publicity committee of the Campus Chest, which is a large campus organization that solicits and distributes contributions from students for worthy causes. She is also a member of the YWCA and is on the hospital committee for that organization.

Beverly belongs to the paint crew of the Theater Guild which recently staged the play, "Operas." She is a member of the Newman club, a prominent Catholic student organization on the campus, and belongs to the W.A.A. (Women's Athletic Association) and somehow finds time to play co-recreational volleyball every Monday night.

DHS Choral Group To Present Free Concert Sunday

Members of the Dixon high school choral department under the direction of Miss Enid Erickson, will present a Christmas concert Sunday, Dec. 19, at the Dixon high school auditorium. The concert will begin at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and will be about one hour's duration.

No Admission

There is to be no admission to this fine concert and the public is invited. The choral department will feature a Christmas carol from almost every European country, as well as American carols.

Program

The program will be as follows:

A Joyous Christmas Song-Norway ..... Hokanson
Silent Night-Germany ..... Grueber-Wilson
Descant—Joane Dwyre
Carol of the Bells-Ukraine ..... Leontovich - Wilhousky
Gesu Bambino-Italy ..... Pietro Yon
Baritone Solo—Jim Gannon
As Lately We Watcher-Austria ..... Arranged by Black
Soprano Solo—Sue Seaworth
MIXED CHORUS
Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem ..... Redner
No Candle Was There and No Fire ..... Lehman
Soprano Solo — Betty Martin
GIRLS' CHORUS
O, Holy Night ..... Adolph Adam
Donna McCardle
It Came Upon a Midnight Clear ..... Willis
God Rest You Merry Gentlemen ..... Arranged by Ira Wilson
BOYS' CHORUS
The First Noel ..... Traditional
Joy to the World ..... Handel
Howard Horton, Benny Roe, Chuck Taylor, Donna McCardle, Richard Joslyn, Merrill Richards, George Tyler, Stirling Stackhouse
BRASS CHORALE
Christmas Lullaby ..... Gabriel
In Excelsis Deo ..... Arranged by Henninger
Soprano Solo—Donna McCardle
GIRLS' TRIPLE TRIO
Jingle Bells ..... Arranged by Charles
DOUBLE MIXED OCTETTE
Today There Is Ringing ..... F. Melius Christiansen
When de Star Shine ..... Noble Cain
Tenor Solo—David Kirk
Hallelujah Chorus ..... Handel
Accompaniment—Barbara Cleaon
MIXED CHORUS
Brass chorale under direction of James Riewer, Band Director
Accompanists: Barbara Cleaon, Anne Beachlossom, Donna Drew, Chic Hurst

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Ohio Couple Has Silver Wedding

Mr and Mrs. George M. Scully of Ohio celebrated their Silver anniversary in early December with a nuptial high mass which was sung by the Fev. Fr. Maza.

Following the mass a delicious pheasant dinner was served at their home to 12 guests including Fr. Maza, Mrs. Kate Johnson and Mrs. L. Dunn, aunts of the couple; Mr and Mrs. Leo Scully of Tampico; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rawley, Gerry Scully, Jackie Scully and Harold Vay of Rockford. Leo Scully was the best man at his brother's wedding in 1923. The delicious dinner was prepared by Mrs. Anna Essex and served by Miss Mary Ann Kuehl of Rockford and Miss Carolyn Clinton.

Pretty Decorations

The centerpiece of the dinner table consisted of a triple tiered wedding cake which was topped with a miniature bride and groom. The cake was garlanded with pine needles, silver bells and bows. Lighted candles arranged on white linen made a very attractive setting. Large bouquets of white baby mums and yellow tea roses decorated the home giving it a festive atmosphere.

Reception

In the afternoon and evening over 100 relatives and friends called at the couple's home. Light refreshments were served. Two daughters, Mrs. Lloyd Rawley and Miss Gerry Scully served the cakes and Mrs. Lida Dunn poured. Others assisting were Mrs. Elmer Levan, Mrs. Frank Scully and Zita Levan. Irene Levan, neice of the couple, had charge of the guest book.

Among the guests at the open house were friends and relatives from Belvidere, Chicago, Rockford, Woosung, Dixon, Harmon, Mendota, Arlington, Walnut, Tampico, Wyanet, Sheffield, Amboy, Van Orin and Ohio.

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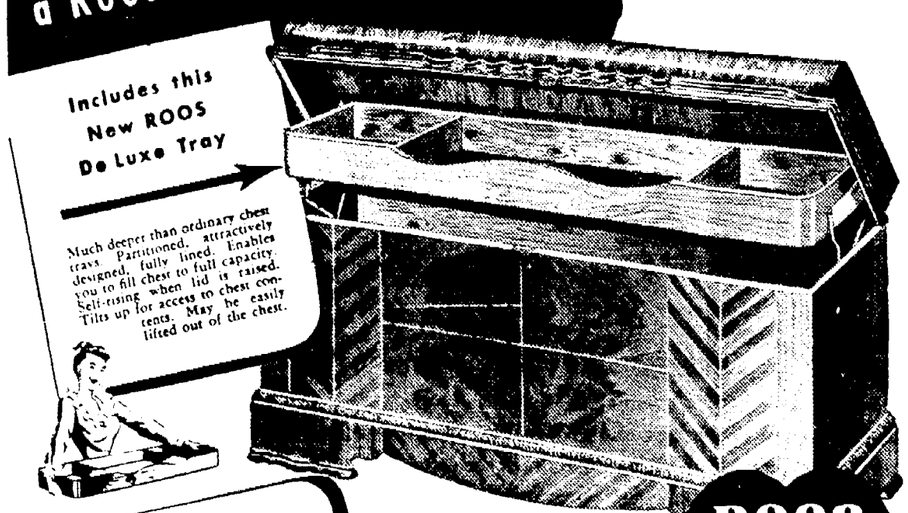

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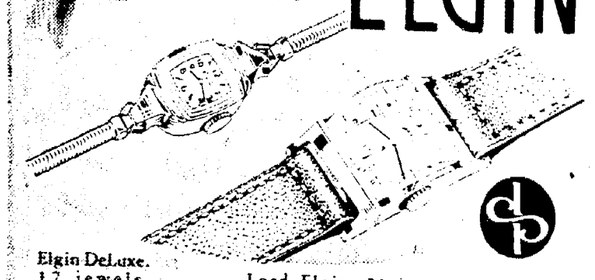

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SOCIETY NEWS

All Masonic Party Enjoyed Wednes.

About 500 guests attended the all Masonic Christmas party held Wednesday evening at the temple. A delicious scramble supper served at 6:30 was attended by Masons and their families. Christmas decorations included a tree and attractive bells.

Dancing and Cards

Dancing and cards were enjoyed. Prize winners in bridge were Mrs. Wilbur Brecunier and Will Crawford and in pinochle Mrs. Paul Armstrong and Erwin Steinberg.

Santa Appears

Santa Claus made a visit and distributed candy to at least 80 children during the evening. Entertainment was also provided the children.

Members of the White shrine had charge of serving the meat for this annual affair and the ladies of the Eastern Star took charge of the dining room. Job's Daughters and the DeMolay boys poured water and coffee.

Joe Hoover was general chairman for the affair and Mrs. Lyle Melvin was secretary.

AMOMA CLASS PARTY

Mrs. W. D. Milliken will entertain the members of the Amoma Sunday school class of the First Baptist church at her home on Tuesday, December 21 with a 6:30 turkey dinner. This will be a Christmas party and there will be a .50 gift exchange.

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CHILDREN'S PRACTICE

The Children's Division of the Grace Evangelical U. B. church will meet at the church for their Christmas program practice at 1:30 p. m., Saturday, tomorrow.

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PROGRAM PRACTICE

The primary and junior departments of the Church of the Brethren will practice for their Christmas program Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. All who are participating in the program are urged to attend this final practice.

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METHODIST BEGINNERS

The Christmas party for the beginners department of the Methodst church will be held tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church parlors. There will be a 10 cent gift exchange. Parents are invited to attend.

Burket School To Be Program Scene

The Burket shool will hold its Christmas program Monday evening, Dec. 20 at 7:4 p. m.

Play to Be Given

The program consists of a play, "Santa's Christmas Party."

Santa Claus -Edwin Barlow.
Henry Boggs --David Mayes.
Martha Boggs-- Patricia McClanahan.
Hiram Boggs--Gerald Wiggens.
Myra Boggs--Helen Barlow.
Dot--Carol Schnell.
Billy--Brian Stouffer.
Betty- Norma Jean Heuman.
Mary--Judy Schnell.
Teddy--Donald Stouffer.
Cousins--Harold Wiggins, Ronald Boehle, Carl Forney.
Announcer--Carol Stouffer.
Opening song, Hear the Bells--School.
Piano duet, Waltz-- Patricia McSlanahan, Carol Stouffer.
Recitation--Ronald Boehle.
Piano solo, Santa Claus Is Coming to Town--Carol Schnell.
Recitation--Carl Forney.
Song-- Donald Stouffer.
Recitation--Harold Wiggins.
Piano solo, Silent Night--Judy Schnell.
Song, Once Again-- Helen Barlow, Patricia McClanahan, Carol Stouffer.
Closing song, I Hear the Bells
School with story by Norma Jean Heuman.

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TO ENJOY VACATION

Miss June Pilgrim, Lee county home adviser, has planned her vacation for December 17 to January 17.

She has planned a trip west and will be accompanied by Miss Cash, Whiteside county home adviser.

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PRACTICE FOR PROGRAM

Children of the First Christian church will meet at the church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Christmas program practice.

Social Calendar

Today

Broadcasters class at the home of Joanne Foster. 7:30

Woosung PTA at the school. 6:30 scramble supper.

Stated meeting of Dorothy chapter No. 371 OES at the Brinton Memorial Temple. 8 o'clock.

Saturday

Final practice for the Christmas program at the Eldena church. 2 p. m.

Retired Teachers club annual Christmas luncheon at the Rice Tea Room. 12:30.

Children's Christmas party at the Legion hall. 2:30 to 4:30 p. m.

Public party at the Legion hall. 8 p. m.

Intermediate class of the Church of the Brethren to have food sale at the National cleaners.

Christmas party for the beginners department of the Methodist church in the church parlors. 2 p. m.

Primary and junior departments of the Church of the Brethren to practice for Christmas program. 2 p. m.

Children of the First Christian church to practice at the church. 2 p. m.

Children's Division of the Grace Evangelical U. B. church at the church. 1:30.

Library Story hour. 10:15 a. m.

December 22

Christmas dance at the Amvet hall. Public invited.

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Mushrooms do not need to be peeled before cooking; they should be thoroughly washed, however. Cook them whole or slice them.

Drama Festival at DHS Attracts Many

When the Dixon high school was host to the North Central Illinois Conference Dramatic Festival a delightful tea dance was enjoyed by the visitors and hosts from 3:45 to 5 p. m. A Christmas bedecked cafeteria was the scene of the dance.

Ronald E. Mitchell of the dramatic department of the University of Wisconsin judged the plays that were presented throughout the day. After he had selected an all star cast to appear in Thornton Wilder's "Happy Journey" they rehearsed from 4:30 to 6 p. m.

Director Speaks

At 8 o'clock Mr. Mitchell spoke before the audience about the festival and reasons for his choice. Following this the play was presented.

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Caroline Kirby Mary Jane Munsen of Rock Falls

Arthur Kirby Calvin Bacon of Dixon

Pa Kirby Bob Holler of Mendota.

Stage Manager Barry Bort, Dixon.

Beulah Evelyn Searle of Geneseo.

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ELDENA CHURCH PROGRAM

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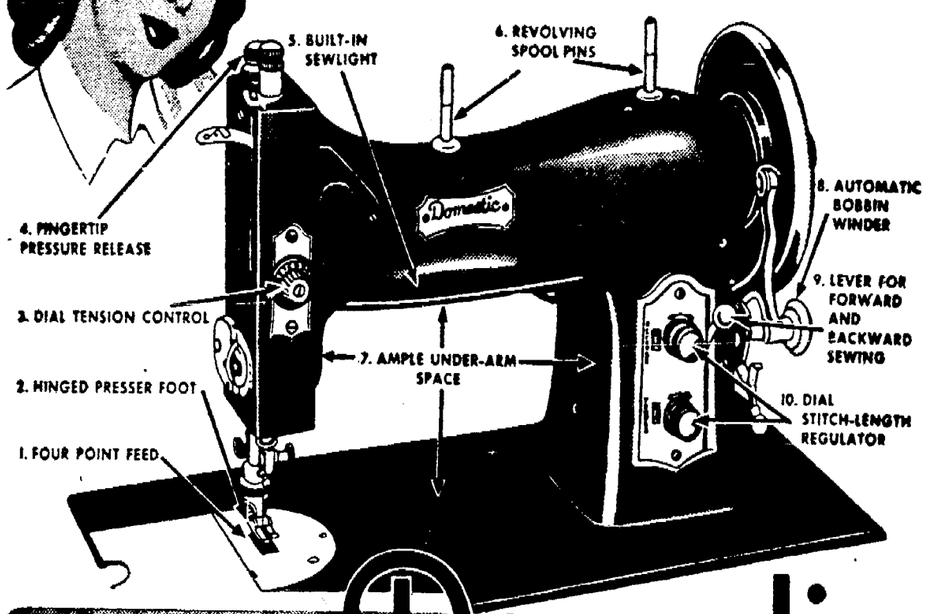

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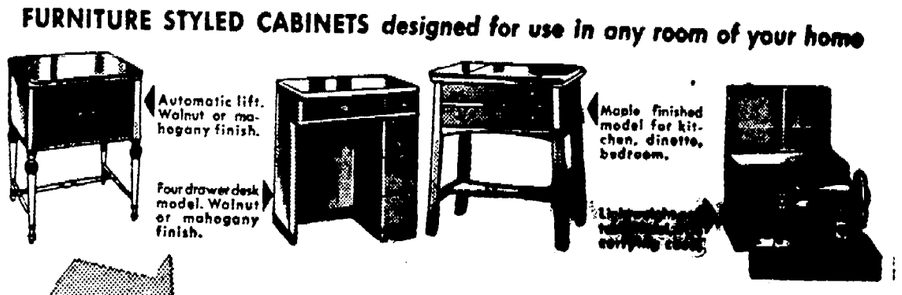

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Belgian Puppets Perform 'Nativity'

Each Christmas Eve, a Liege, Belgium, museum presents the traditional puppet presentation of "The Great Tragedy of the Nativity." The production is complete with battles, knights and the story of Christ. Here a stage technician arranges the scene wherein the wise kings and the common people, following the star are led to the Christ child.

Hey, Look Out There, Doc!

Anybody want to trade jobs with this inspector? It looks like any minute he's liable to have a pressing engagement, but actually he's just checking the all-steel pole discs in the atom-smashing machine being built at the University of Chicago. The discs are part of the 4,140,000-pound magnet, heart of the $1,700,000 synchrocyclotron. The atom-busting apparatus will be in operation early in 1950.

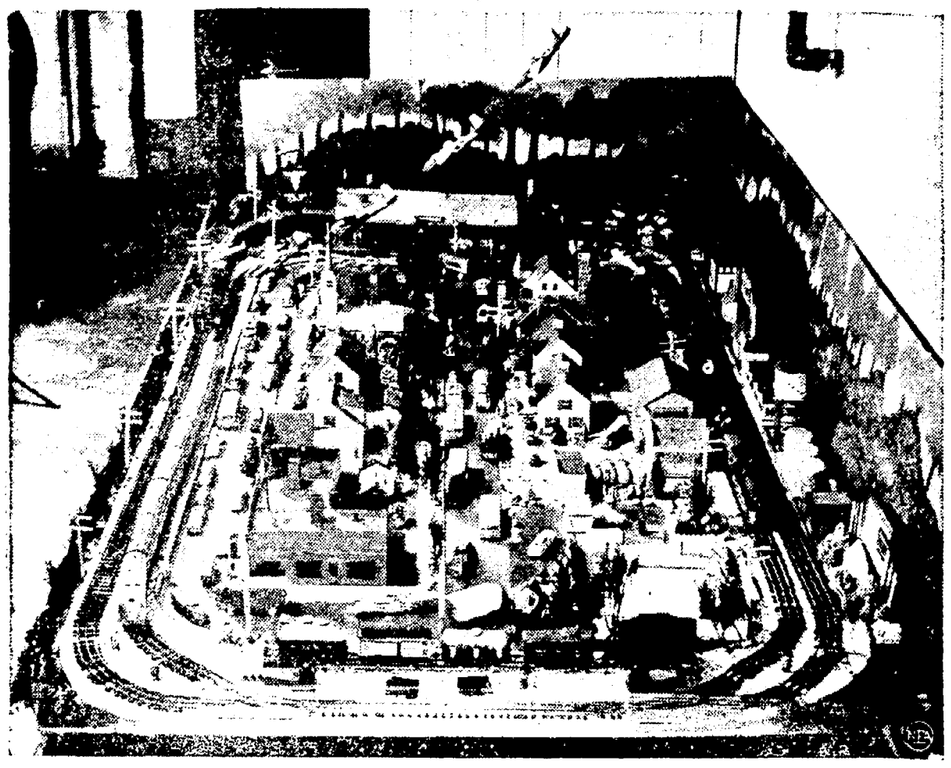
Mr. Truman Liked It, Too

Derman H. Smith, nationally-noted political cartoonist for NEA Service, prepares to ship his cartoon to President Truman. Released before the election, the cartoon shows the GOP elephant dejectedly standing before a White House that has "No vacancy." The President liked it so much he requested the original drawing.

Importrait

Here's Lise Bourdin, the most photographed girl in France, as she arrived in New York. The top French model will do modeling, starting at $25 an hour, the highest price any American model commands.

Model Railroad Display Has Drive-In Theater



It has taken 20 years to build but John Karalfa's model railroad display is his pride and joy. Karalfa, a Cleveland, O., hospital maintenance superintendent, houses his toy town on an oversize table tennis table in his basement. Besides the trains, he has built a working drive-in theatre, lower right, with a handkerchief for the screen. The buildings are made of pasteboard, the trees of bits of Christmas trees, the streets and sidewalks are sandpaper, the lawns turkish towels, the shrubs green-dyed sponge, and the letters on the billboards are made from alphabet noodles. The display is completely electrified, with lights in all buildings. Note the airplanes overhead. (Photo by Flash Findlay.)

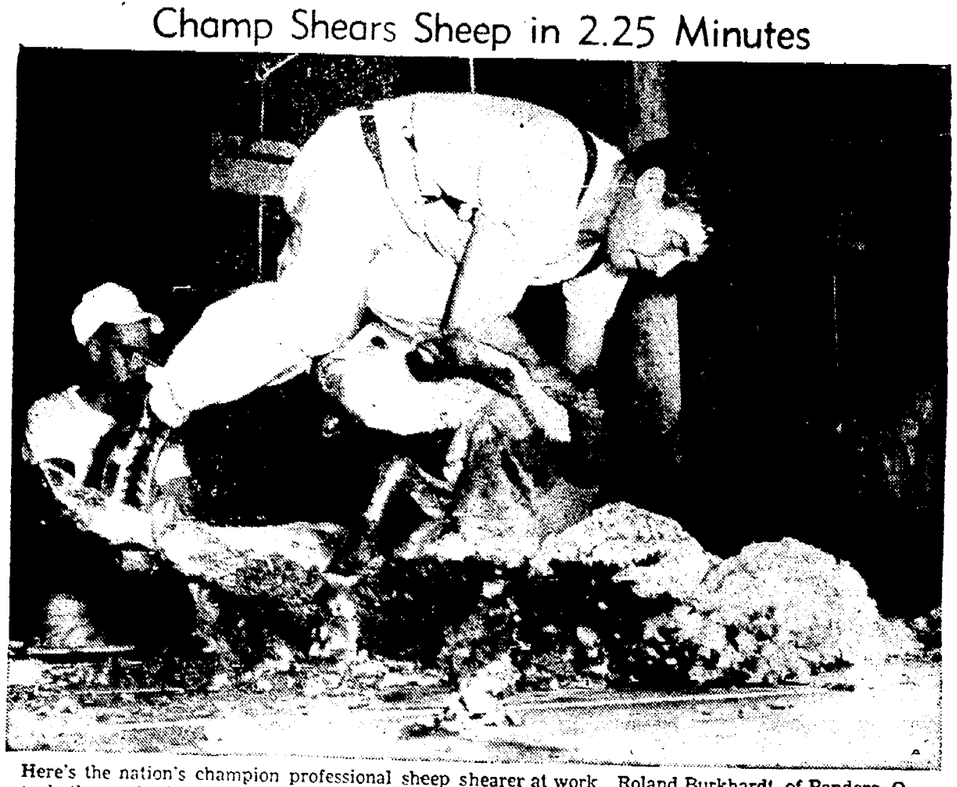
Every Lump Is Precious

Next time you see coal being delivered and some of it spilled carelessly on the sidewalk, remember this picture. It shows a Berlin housewife getting her 25-pound ration. The dealer weighs it with greatest care, adding or taking out a single lump—and housewives watch alertly—until the amount is doled out exactly to the ounce.

Largest Bomber Must Come Out Sideways

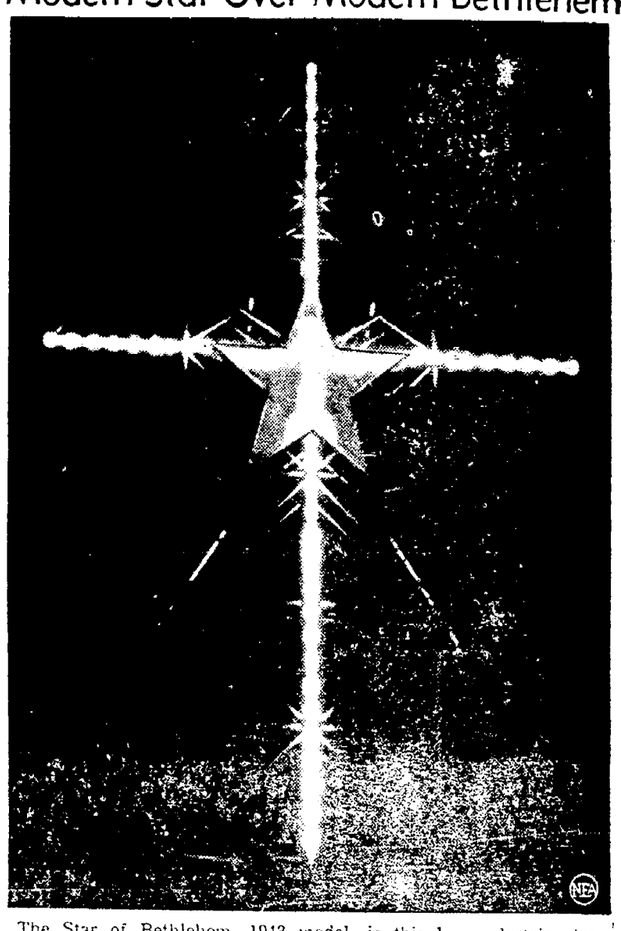
With a 230-foot wingspan, the Convair B-36, world's largest bomber, must come out of the building where it was built sideways, since the door is only 200 feet wide. It was turned around inside the assembly building in Fort Worth, Tex., before tractors pulled it out. Another necessary maneuver was to jack up the nose so that the 47-foot-high tail would be lowered enough to clear roof trusses.

Champ Shears Sheep in 2.25 Minutes



Here's the nation's champion professional sheep shearer at work. Roland Burkhardt, of Pandora, O., took the professional division sheep shearing title at Chicago's International Livestock Show for the third time. Burkhardt, who also won in 1939 and 1947, had an average time of 2.25 minutes.

Modern Star Over Modern Bethlehem



The Star of Bethlehem, 1948 model, is this huge electric star erected on South mountain, overlooking Bethlehem, Pa. The star is 31 feet across, 53 feet high, and it's affixed to a 91-foot steel tower. The Christmas display can be seen for 25 miles.

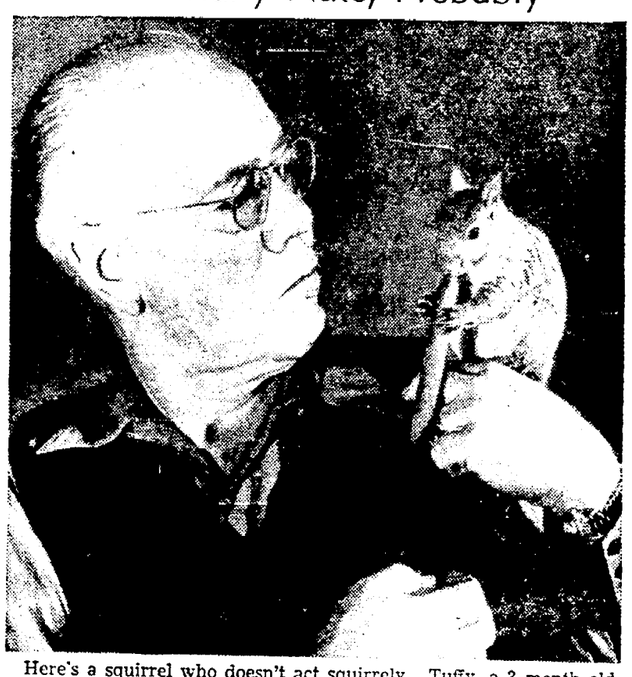
Japan Goes Ballet Balmy

A retired Tokyo ballet producer has turned his apartment into a school to teach young Japanese girls the fundamentals of ballet. Here three future ballerinas are studies in childish determination as they practice their steps. Professor Keinan Aoyama believes the lessons will "add more charm to their personality."

Kitten on the Keys

Smoky's just kitten with his typing act, because he's feline pretty good. The pet of a Beloit, Wis., shade shop owner, Smoky really isn't an accomplished typist, but who cares?

Too Many Nuts, Probably



Here's a squirrel who doesn't act squirrely. Tuffy, a 3-month-old gray squirrel, has gone civilized in a big way. He bites the ends off cigars, chews them, shoots dice and flips coins. At least his owner, Otto Johnson of Des Moines, Ia., claims Tuffy does all those things.

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North Galena and Morgan street
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Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Graded Bible classes for all ages. Frank Norvel, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. Pastor's sermon topic will be, "The Real Meaning of Christmas." Music by the senior choir.

Christian Endeavor—the combined societies will sponsor the sound motion picture, "The Child of Bethlehem," a dignified and superb presentation of the Christmas story. The public is cordially invited to this service at 6:30 sharp!

Evening service at 7:30. The combined choirs under the direction of Mrs. William Foster will present the Christmas cantata, "The Music of Bethlehem."

Christian Crusaders Club — Tuesday at 3:30 and at 7:00 p. m. Program will include sound moving pictures, illustrated Christmas Story in color, Christmas carols sung from the screen, and a magic object lesson.

Sunday School Christmas entertainment will be held this Thursday evening, December 23 at 7:30 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
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Luther H. Cooperrider, pastor

Sunday—9:30 a. m. Sunday school; 10:30 a. m. The service with sermon by the pastor; 7:30 p. m. Luther League Christmas service and play, "The Cobbler and His Guest". All are welcome.

Monday—7 p. m. Sunday school Christmas program rehearsal without the primary and junior participants.

Wednesday—4 p. m. Children of the church Christmas party; 7 p. m. Choir.

Thursday—7 p. m. Sunday school Christmas program dress rehearsal.

Friday—7:30 p. m. Sunday school Christmas program for all; 8:30 p. m. Luther League Christmas caroling in the community.

Saturday—10 a. m. Christmas service with sermon by the pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
404 Spruce street
"A community church with the full Gospel message"
A. J. Wells, pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Evening Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday evening at 7:45 the Christmas program will be given. (A treat for all).

Thursday Prayer meeting in the home of the pastor. 7:30 p. m.

Assembly of God radio program every Sunday afternoon at 1:45 over station WAIT, Chicago.

The public is cordially invited to any and all of these services.

Christmas Program, Dec. 21

Congregational songs—"Joy to The World" and "Silent Night".

Christmas Greetings — Pastor Wells.

Welcome—Karen Tegeler.

A Jolly Christmas—Arnould Brothers.

Under the Christmas Tree—Primary class; Junior girl.

Every Body's Day—Carl Peterson.

The Chirstmas Tree Speaks—Dorene and Herman Ruben.

Christmas Anthem—Mrs. Wells.

Is It Christmas Every Where? Anna Mae and Donald Bogue.

Gladness in Giving—Herman Ruben.

"Silent Night", instrumental—Gibson girls.

Offertory.

If Christ Should Come on Christmas—Lois Lou Bogue.

Three-scene play (20 min.) "Teen-agers and Young People". Cast of characters: Father—Wayne Cathey; Mother—Anna Mae Bogue; Malhon, shepherd)—Calvin Bacon; Terah (young boy)—Walter Bacon; Old Lady—Nadeen Bain; Little Girl—Lois Lou Bogue; Mary—Edna Wawenite; Joseph—John Bell; Other Shepherds—Logan Bain, W. H. Bacon; Soloist—Mrs. Logan Bain; Trombone—Calvin Bacon.

Our Program—Donald Tegeler.

Goes to India

H. SPENSER MINNICH

H. Spenser Minnich, of Elgin, Illinois, well-known to members of the Church of the Brethren in this community, has been appointed acting secretary-treasurer of the church's India mission program. Minnich will sail immediately and is expected to remain in India a year. He has been associated with the national brotherhood board of the church for the past 30 years.

Minnich will be accompanied by his wife. He will maintain headquarters in Bombay.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
Second street and Hennepin avenue
George J. Curran, pastor
Sunday, December 19th

9:30 a. m. Bible school.

10:45 a. m. Worship and Sermon, "Preferred Before Me". Special music by the three vested choirs. Senior choir will sing: "And the Glory of the Lord" by Handel. Junior choir will sing: "Three Ships" and "What Child is this". All three choirs will sing: "Glory to God".

3:30 p. m. Baptism service.

7 p. m. Children's Christmas program, for everyone.

8:15 p. m. Youth Caroling party.

Monday—7 p. m. Scout meeting.

Tuesday — Progressive class meeting at 7 p. m., beginning with a share-a-dish dinner at Laverne Wade's house, 603 Page avenue.

Wednesday—6:45 p. m. Intermediate choir rehearsal; 7 p. m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Friday—Christmas Eve at 11 p. m. The Christmas Service, with music, candelighting and an appropriate message by Pastor Curran.

Sunday School Program

Christmas observance begins at St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday. At the Sunday school hour the orchestra will play "Round the Christmas Tree". At the Church hour the three vested choirs will sing Christmas music. In the evening at 7 o'clock the children will present their Christmas program of songs, recitations and pageantry. All are cordially invited. The traditional Christmas Eve program will be of special attraction again when at 11 p. m. the Intermediate and Senior choirs will sing special Christmas music and the Christmas Candle Lighting will usher in the Christmas at midnight.

The children's program for Sunday evening follows:

Hymn — "Hark the Herald Angels Sing."

Scripture reading and prayer by Intermediates.

Intermediates will also sing "The First Noel" and "Come and Hear the Grand Old Story".

The Beginners and Primary departments program consists of:

Recitations—"We greet you" by Marianne Klapprodt; "No Christmas till Jesus came" by Neil Buckaloo, Edward Detwiler, Joyce Grobe, Arlene Hill, Marlene Hill, James Walker and Allan Bollman; "My wish" by Esther Pearl Spangler; "Your Christmas" by Sandra Spangler; "Christmas Ahoy!" by Billy Branch, Kenneth Swan, Aaron Johnson; "A suggestion" by Neil Peterson.

"Little Carolers" Bobby Cross, Suzanne Larson, Stevie Paulsen, Anna Mae Winters, Ronald Ortgiesen, Nancy Nordstrom, Loren Jacquet, Richard Stroup.

Song—"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" by Primary department. "Sweet Silent Night" by Roger Wade, Kenneth Detweiler, Merle Beller.

Songs — "Silent Night" and "Away in a Manger" by Primary department.

Recitations "My Present" by Shirley Fritz; "All I Have to Say" by Carol Whitman; "Candles" by Sandra Grube.

Song—By the Beginners.

Recitations—"He loves me" by Adrienne Benson; "The Angel's Chorus" by Linda Wade and Carol Wright; "At Christmas" by George Beller.

Song—"What Can I Give" by Carol Buckaloo.

Recitations — "My Christmas Stocking" by Barbara Brierton; "Secrets" by Patricia Fritz; "Christmas Wishes" by Mary Lynn Gerdes; "Sleighbells" by Judy Johnson and Juanita Cox; "His Star" by Dianna Cory, Miriam Woessner, Carol Chandler.

Hymn — "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night" and "March to the Manger" by the Junior department; The Shepherds, the Wise Men, All Nations, All People: Reader, Joyce Miller; Trumpeter, Delores Newman.

Duet—"Christmas Voices" by Marjorie Johnson and Myrtle Fritz.

Piano solo—"Winter Song" by Barbara Wade.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE
Fifth street and Ottawa avenue
Elmer B. Fitch, pastor

Bible School at 9:30 a. m.

The Christmas worship service at 10:45 a. m. with the pastor bringing the Christmas message. Special music will be presented by the choir and individuals.

6:30 p. m., "Youthspiration," a Christmas "candlelight service" with the carols and "the Story of the First Christmas," and special music all woven in.

7:30 p. m., the annual Sunday School Christmas program. Recitations, dialogues, plays and music by the boys and girls. A special Christmas lesson at the close. A gift will be given to each boy and girl at the close.

★ WEEKLY BIBLE COMMENT
Paul's Epistles Are the World's Greatest

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

The Apostle Peter, while he commended "beloved brother Paul's" Epistles (II Peter 3:15, 16), said also that Paul had written "some things hard to be understood."

The New Testament contains epistles by Paul, Peter, James, John and Jude. Of these a greater number are by Paul. As far as their length, variety, subject matter, and historic place and impact upon the Christian church, they are much the more formidable, even though the Epistles are all alike and bear much similarity in their expression of a common Christian spirit and teaching.

If we were to judge Paul's Epistles by those more obscure and difficult passages to which Peter referred or by the many references to local problems and controversies in the churches, we should hardly think of his letters as being the world's greatest.

But think of the many passages in which Paul showed himself far in advance of his age and well abreast of modern thought and movements in his conception of liberty. Think of his conception of church and society in which men are members one of another. Think of the clarity of his zeal for righteousness and the soundness of his ideas concerning life and labor. And then you have reason to appreciate the greatness of Paul and his letters.

But even beyond these things is the loftiness of the thought and the unexcelled beauty of expression in many passages that lift the letters to a great height.

If Paul had written nothing but the 13th chapter of I Corinthians, the "love" chapter, that gem of spiritual and literary perfection would have marked his greatness. But that is only the finest of many richly beautiful chapters or portions of chapters.

And his prayer for his fellow-Christians in the closing verses of Ephesians 3 has an eloquence of words that matches the magnitude of its vision of the boundless possibilities of Christian attainment.

These are but a few examples of the world's greatest letters. With the vigor and variety of the Pauline conceptions was combined a rich vocabulary and a high skill in the use of words. His lists in various places are striking. The list of things to think about, in Philippians 4:8; the list of the fruits of the Spirit in Galatians 5:22-23. Most striking of all is the list of all possible experiences, followed by the list of all possible forces and powers in Romans 8.

Men of action are not always articulate or concerted in expression but Paul was as great in words, at least in the written word as he was in deeds.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
321 West Second street

Regular Sunday morning services at 11 a. m. Subject, "Is the Universe Including Man Evolved By Atomic Force."

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening, testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.

Christian Science radio program at 8:15 a. m. each Sunday over Station WJJD Chicago.

FIRST METHODIST
Second street at Peoria avenue
Aura C. Nesmith, minister

Church School, 9:30. Classes for all.

Morning worship, 10:45. Sermon theme, "Glory to God."

The fifteenth annual Christmas candlelight service presented by the choir under the direction of Crawford Thomas, 7:15.

Christmas Day, 6:00 a. m., the Christmas Story in Scripture, art and music.

FIRST BAPTIST
Dr. J. H. Hughes, D. D., pastor

We have a unified service with the teaching period starting at 9:30. Ansel Youngblood will be in charge. The morning worship with sermon at 10:15. The pastor will preach on the subject, "The Magi and the Christ!" Special music by two choirs.

At 7:30 p. m. our three choirs will give a sacred concert under the direction of Mrs. Hughes and Walter Rice. Several numbers from the "Messiah" will be sung.

Dr. Hughes will preach Wednesday evening, December 22. A cordial welcome to all.

EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN
Eldena - Kingdom
E. Rudolph, pastor

Eldena

10:00 a. m., Sunday School.
11:00 a. m., Morning worship.
7:30 p. m., Christmas program by the Sunday School.

Kingdom

9:30 a. m., Morning worship.
10:30 a. m., Sunday School.
No Youth Fellowship.
Christmas program at Kingdom church on Dec. 21, 7:30.
Youth Fellowship caroling party Dec. 22, at 7:00.

ST. JAMES
Rev. R. R. Heidenreich, pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning services, 10:45 a. m.
Christmas program, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. B. B. Cartwright, Jr., minister

9:30 a. m., Sunday Church School Superintendent, Mrs. Earl Bennyhoff.

10:45 a. m., Morning worship service. Sermon, "Tidings of Great Joy."

Anthems, "Jesu Bambino," Yon, Junior choir; "Holy Angels," Dickinson, "Carol of the Birds," Cain.

7:00 p. m., Sunday School Christmas program for the congregation.

Monday 6:45, Mariners club Christmas dinner.

Wednesday 7:00 Pageant dress rehearsal for all those taking part in the Christmas pageant.

Friday, 11:00, "Children of Bethlehem," at the Methodist church. 7:30, annual Christmas Eve pageant and candlelight service.

Jan. 10th Annual congregational meetng and election of officers.

Presbyterian Sunday School Christmas Program

The annual Christmas program of the Presbyterian Sunday school will be given Sunday evening at seven o'clock. All departments of the Sunday school will participate. Members and friends of the children are invited to attend. The traditional white gifts for Kemmerer Orphanage will be received at this service. Any cash donations will be used to bring the Christmas spirit to the children at Kemmerer and the Indian Home School at Tuba City, Ariz.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
521 Highland avenue
C. L. Wagner, pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.

The Wartburg League meets Tuesday at 8:00 p. m.

Catechetical class meets Saturday at 2:00 p. m.

The Adult Membership class meets Monday at 7:30 p. m.

Children's Christmas program Friday, Christmas Eve, at 7:30.

There will be no services Christmas Day. Christmas services wil be conducted at Amboy.

DIXON STATE HOSPITAL

Services at 1:45 p. m. in charge of the Rev. F. P. Cunningham.

Services on Christmas Day will be conducted by the Rev. W. H. Lewis.

Third and Madison
Donald E. Rowe, minister

Church school, 10 a. m. Galen Myers, superintendent.

Church Worship, 11 a. m. Anthem: "O Come Let Us Worship". Junior choir: Sermon theme: "Birth of a Greater Responsibility"; Installation of new deacons. Rev. C. W. Stauffer, Elder of the church, will have charge of the installation.

Children Chirstmas program, 6:30 p. m.

The Young People will sponsor a caroling party immediately after the Christmas program.

The new Church Board of Administration will have an important meeting on Monday evening at 7:30 in the church basement.

GRACE EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN
Ottawa avenue at Fellows street
Parke O. Bailey, pastor

Christmas service, 1:45 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45. The church choir will present a Christmas Cantata and program Sunday evening at 7:45. The Junior Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p. m.

The Boy Scouts meet Monday at 7 p. m.

The Sunday school Christmas program will be held Tuesday evening, 7:30.

The program committee urges all children taking part to be present Saturday afternoon at 1:30 for the practice.

Wednesday evening Prayer and Bible study at 7:30.

The Willing Workers' class will hold a family Christmas party next Thursday evening at the church. A scramble supper meet to be furnished by the class, grab-bag exchange. All members of the class and the children are urged to attend at 7 p. m.

WEST SIDE
West Third at Van Buren street
George A. McCauley pastor

9:30 a. m. Sunday school.

10:45 a. m. Morning Worship service. Christmas message by the pastor.

4 p. m. Christmas Vesper service. Miss Hazel Johnson, violinist, from Wheaton College, Miss Virginia Erickson, pianist and the Dixon Church Choral Group directed by Miss Jean Hitchcock will provide the musical portion of the program. Mr. Pius Burgard will give two Christmas readings. All are invited to attend this service of carols and candlelight. There will be no young people's meetings or evening service this Sunday.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting.

Thursday, 10:30 a. m. Children will practice for their Christmas program. Their annual Christmas party will follow after the practice.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Annual Christmas program of the Sunday school scholars.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
Amboy
C. L. Wagner, pastor

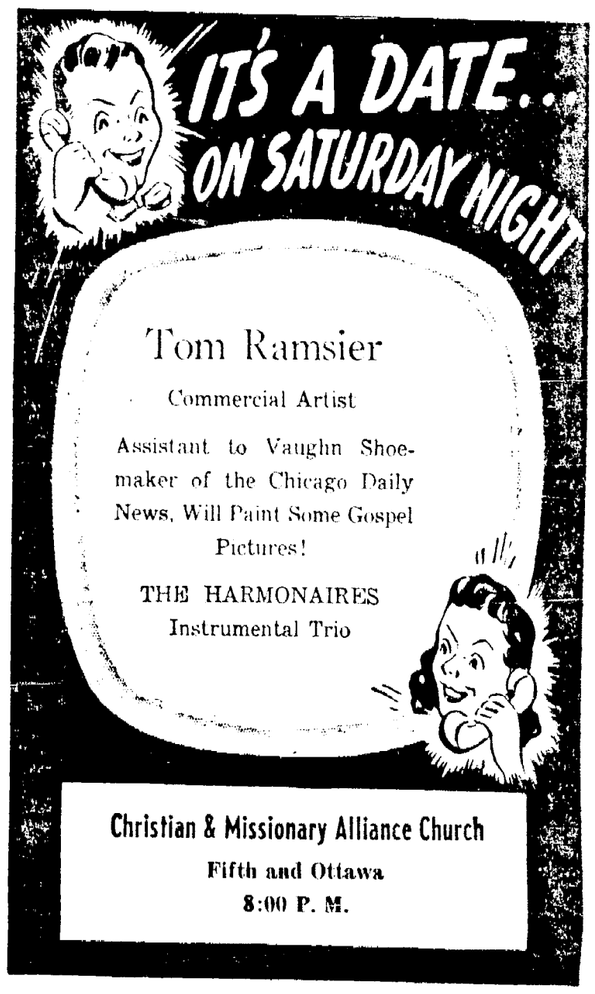
There will be no catechetical class Sunday morning.

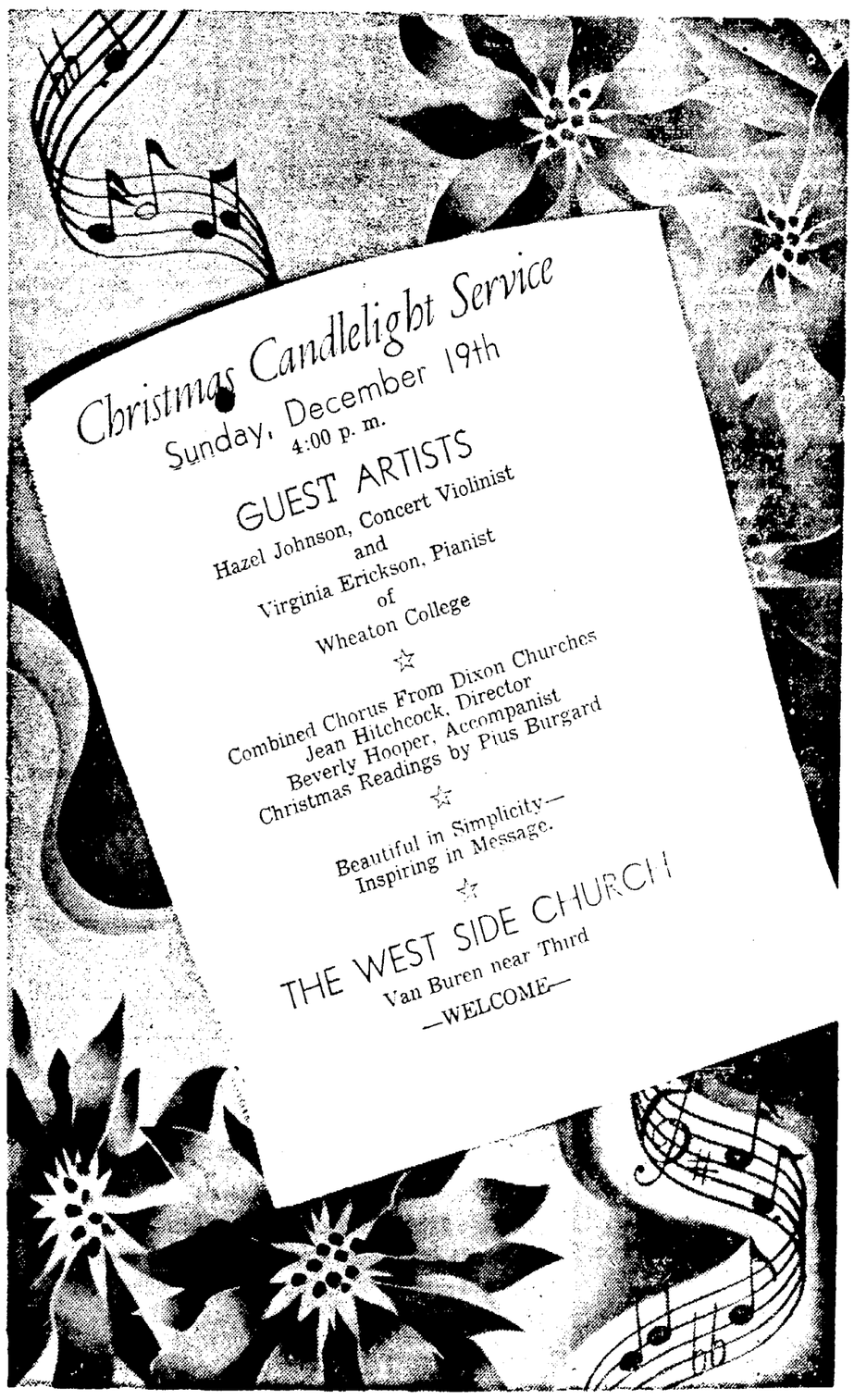
Morning worship at 9:15 a. m. The Rev. August Engelbrecht, Illinois district president, will conduct an official visitation following the morning worship.

Sunday School at 10:15 a. m.

Children's Christmas program will be presented Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Christmas services will be held on Christmas Day at 9:30 a. m.





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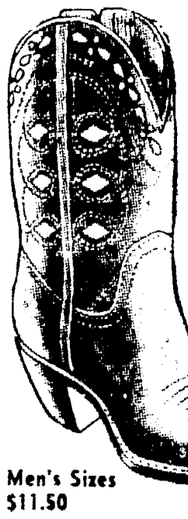

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D.H.S. AWARDS FOOTBALL LETTERS

Bobtales

By BOB FALLSTROM

Al Lewis, the Princeton cage "magician" makes his first Dixon appearance this evening at DHS gym.

Al, former Springfield Cathedral coach, sends his short but scrappy Tigers against the winless Dukes in a game that headlines the first full league card of the season.

Lewis is the fellow that stepped in at Princeton in time to field a winning 1947 football team. Since that time he's been a hero, especially since his 1947-48 cagers won the NCIC pennant and his 1948 gridders turned in a highly creditable performance.

This year conference cage observers got ready to polish up the cellar spot for Princeton occupancy. Princeton could not muster a single letterman from its championship ball club. The team didn't have the semblance of a 6-footer. It was green and short on speed.

Yet after seven games, some with big time foes, Princeton's record stands at six wins and one setback. We've heard Lewis does it with mirrors, but that's hardly the answer.

High morale probably has as much to do with Princeton's winning form as any one other factor. Lewis has instilled an air of confidence and drive, replacing the former dejected atmosphere of a chronic loser. Princeton is keyed up every time it goes on the floor.

Lewis also applies psychology. He rarely builds up his team or allows it to receive a pat on the back in the editorial columns of the Bureau County Republican, Princeton weekly.

The current issue, for instance reads: "The Dukes haven't won a game this year but should enter the affair as favorites (pass the smelling salts, Chumley!). They've played a tough pre-conference schedule and last week pushed Sterling's undefeated quint all the way before bowing out, 46-44."

Hold that Tiger . . . !

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KOLTS RED HOT—The Mt. Morris Kable Kolts, lone undefeated team in the Northern Illinois AAU Basketball league (6-0), have been piling up points at a terrific clip of late.

Sunday the Kolts murdered Rockford CAY club, 82-42, and Wednesday night Forrest Kable's boys poured 66 points through the hoops while limiting Rockford Corner Tap to 32. That's averaging 74 points per game, a right smart figure.

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EYES MARINES—Bob "Rod" Richards, who played quarterback on the 1948 Dixon high football team, has dropped out of school in order to join the Marines.

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NEW MT. CARROLL CHAMP?—Nobody's counting on Rock Falls to defend its Mt. Carroll tournament championship in this year's meet which begins Dec. 27.

The Rockets are "down" at the moment and are entered "just for the ride", so to speak.

Morrison, Lanark, Byron and Amboy appear to be the top four contenders. Morrison was runner-up last year.

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COMPTON MEETING TONIGHT—A postcard notice of the East End Sportsmen's club meeting at Compton this evening arrived on the sports desk too late for publication yesterday.

However, here's the dope: The club, which is affiliated with the Illinois Federation of Sportsmen's clubs, is to meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the Compton Opera house for the purpose of electing 1949 officers. All members and prospective members are urged to attend.

BOWLING SCORES

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Team—	Won	Lost
Hey Bros.	28	14
The Keg	27	15
Lloyds	25	17
Potts Market	24	18
Empire Sales	23	19
Fyr Fyters	23	19
Marshall Barbers	22	20
Peter Pipers	22	20
Rogers Printing Co.	21	21
Wayne Feed & Grain	20	22
Carson's "66"	20	22
Freeman Shoes	19	23
Studebaker Sales	19	23
Shaw Printing Co.	16	26
Cahills Electric	14	28
Max Johns Carpenters	13	29

Individual Records

High game Orville Hoyle 256
Ken Detweiler 256

Team Records

High game—The Keg 1076
High series—The Keg 3047

Hey Bros.		Potts Market	
Detweiler	576	Teer	521
D. Hey	517	Venier	399
Rorer	501	K. Potts	408
J. Hey	517	V. Potts	479
Winebrenner	521	Hyland	610
Handicap	342	Handicap	417
986 916 1072	2974	931 953 953	2837

The Keg		Rogers Printing	
Carlson	548	Gardner	468
Case	411	Burke	421
Elliott	495	Tasha	448
Lieving	429	Emmert	467
Sweeney	474	Witzleb	560
Handicap	372	Handicap	384
865 845 1016	2729	870 960 915	2745

Lloyds		Marshall Barbers	
C. Lloyd	445	Lovin	445
Rhodes	461	Dewey	437
Hill	461	Ommen	442
Schulte	451	Shuck	435
Walters	451	Daschbach Jr.	401
Handicap	359	Handicap	270
889 915 935	2839	801 773 841	2220

Empire Sales		Fyr Fyters	
Dierdorff	477	Volk	543
Lievan	435	Willard	458
Wakeley	493	Andreas	560
Fassler	471	Zentz	498
Dunbar	460	Heaton	446
Handicap	417	Handicap	446
933 912 911	2756	863 1035 930	2531

Peter Pipers		Wayne Feeds	
Bondi	502	G. Beatty	442
Dusing	487	J. Beatty	340
Howard	418	Beanblossom av.	423
Killian	477	Sivitts	344
Hoyle	594	Steinhagen	420
Handicap	411	Handicap	714
999 995 892	2889	910 864 879	2653

Cahills Electric		Carsons "66"	
Duffy	458	Hagerty	411
Keane	465	Carson	426
Buchner	401	S. Hartzell	459
Olijar	497	Stacey	442
Glessner	487	Burrs	429
Handicap	408	Handicap	495
895 848 1035	2778	921 905 845	2665

Freeman Shoes		Shaw Printing	
Scott	440	Crombie	370
Gerber	427	Cooley	392
Glimour	415	McConnaughay	364
Vivian	423	Bishop	630
Mooney	438	Halstenberg	487
Handicap	372	Handicap	438
827 812 886	2525	922 916 843	2681

Max Johns		Studebaker Sales	
Wasmund	492	Seitz	516
T. Metzen	455	Meinke	403
M. John	401	Williams	439
Koester	431	Nelson	462
L. John	420	Campbell	477
Handicap	555	Handicap	420
930 935 884	2755	913 850 920	2713

LANES MEN'S LEAGUE

Team—	Won	Lost
Smith Oil	32	10
Lincoln Lanes	28	14
Reynolds 2	26	16
Star Sales	25	17
Harmon Township	25	17
Reynolds 3	25	17
Dixon Grain	24	18
Reynolds 1	23	19
Evar Swanson	21	21
Diamond H	21	21
Underwood Service	20	22
Rock Island Transfer	19	23
Reynolds 4	19	23
Roberts & Hess	18	24
Shamrock	18	24
Three Deuces	17	25
Freeman Shoes	17	25
Klein & Heckman	15	27
Borden Cans	15	27
Engineers	12	30

Individual Records

High game—Don McCoy 257
High series—Armand Bushman 648

Team Records

High game—Engineers 1107
High series—Reynolds 4 3107

Smith Oil		Lincoln Lanes	
J. Krahenbuhl	502	Rosbrook	502
Fazzi	461	Karper	525
E. Krahenbuhl	518	Missman	521
Ommen	507	Gianoni	410
Hopkins	586	Brotherton	555

Roberts & Hess		Reynolds No. 2	
Hess	427	Conley	476
Friel	401	L. Ommen	405
Keller	440	Al Spanden	495
P. LaFever	428	Z. Spinden	453
W. LaFever	422	B. Spinden	555
892 861 896	2649	943 945 919	2807

Star Sales		Diamond H	
McCoy	506	Farley	458
Wisner	492	Leuscher	430
Kent	499	Galand	382
Wasson	455	Rampenthal	460
Rolando	517	Stillwell	515
917 991 941	2849	863 895 973	2731

Engineers		Harmon Twp.	
Schroeder av.	408	Winkel	508
Bishop av.	405	Walters	536
Erickson	447	Robbins	527
Fiatt	385	Ostrander	473
Bushman	510	Hoyle	462
885 874 896	2655	987 956 1014	2957

Dixon Grain		Reynolds 3	
Wilstead	475	Sindlinger	526
Hoban	438	Cramer	376
Miller	387	Joyce	393
Bellows	432	Wilson	579
Pitzer	448	Winebrenner	481
977 963 893	2773	875 981 951	2811

Reynolds 1		Klein & Heckman	
Marselle	493	Saunders	414
Stultz	458	Bargs	402
McMillon	479	Heckman	458
Merriman	405	Kreger	517
J. McMillon	463	Halsey	542
901 973 833	2717	927 941 960	2828

Evar Swansons		Freeman Shoe	
Wohrley	475	Hardesty	512
Harney	437	Wickens	455
Harden	445	Curtis	407
Mayes	410	Lenan	496
Harden Jr.	370	Clayton	491
918 873 841	2632	883 938 936	2757

Three Deuces		Underwood Serv.	
Hoover	453	Yoths	489
Stiles	401	Bolender	497
Curran	448	Underwood	511
Nelson	447	Dwyer	477
Knox	494	B. Hoyle	480
850 955 894	2699	934 961 889	2781

Rock Island Trans.		Shamrock	
Cramer	466	Pierce	387
Fallstrom	421	Brucker	452
Steinle	430	Cross	382
Boose	551	Johnson	528
McGraham av.	492	Shaulis	375

Reynolds 4		Borden Cans	
Loescher	470	Fishback	418
Gilders	420	Wickert	411
Zoerb	460	Utz	499
Welker	423	Delf	438
Robins	481	McMullen	471
Handicap	546	Handicap	525
851 914 1005	2800	938 909 951	2798

Dukes Meet Defending Loop Kings

PROBABLE LINEUPS

Dixon	Pos.	Princeton
Ronnie Sitter	F	Joe Springer
Carlos Anderson	F	Bill Linn
Jim Pieschel	C	Bob Anderson
Stan Fish	G	Ed Walker
Jim Phelps	G	Jim Willhite

GAME FACTS

EVENT—Dixon's first NCIC game.
PLACE—DHS gym.
TIME—Frosh-soph tipoff at 7 p. m.
COACHES—Lon Scofield (Dixon), Al Lewis (Princeton).

The proud Princeton Tigers, who reign as North Central Illinois conference hardwood champs, come into town this evening to furnish Dixon with its first league test of the campaign.

Princeton has already played its loop debut, winning 35-25 over Hall Township. The Dec. 1 mix was shifted from its original January date because of a conflict with the Bureau county tournament.

Coach Al Lewis, "miracle man" of the NCIC since taking over the Princeton helm two seasons ago,

1947-1948 STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost	Pts.	OP
Princeton	8	1	463	377
Hall Township	7	2	428	387
Ottawa	5	4	399	394
Sterling	5	4	409	389
Rock Falls	5	4	357	367
Mendota	4	5	432	449
DeKalb	4	5	370	369
Rochelle	4	5	411	379
DIXON	2	7	373	451
Geneseo	1	8	377	495

apparently has pulled another rabbit out of the hat this winter. Taking a team that lacked a major letterwinner, he has built a winning combination that holds six triumphs as against a single.

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The Tigers have beaten Springfield, Illinois School for Deaf (Jacksonville), Hall Township, Chicago Tilden Tech, Kewanee and Walnut, bowing only to East Moline, 43-33.

Princeton makes up for a shortage of tall boys with scrap, high morale and ball-handling finesse. Tallest regular is Center Bob Anderson, a 5 ft. 10-in. lad. Bill Linn stands 5-9, Ed Walker 5-8, and Jim Willhite and Joe Springer, 5-7.

Springer and Linn rank as the top scorers, although pointmaking has been well shared thus far. Linn, Walker and Springer won minor letters for 1947-48 play while Willhite and Anderson were numeral winners.

Dixon will command a definite height advantage. Listed to open for Coach Lon Scofield are Forwards Ronnie Sitter (6-2) and Carlos Anderson (5-11), Center Jim Pieschel (6-0) and Guards Stan Fish (5-8) and Jim Phelps (6-2). This is the combination that gave Sterling fits last Friday, losing by a mere two points, 46-44, to the unbeaten Whiteside county experts.

Tonight the Dukes will be striving to chase a string of four straight losses (Clinton, Ia., Freeport, West Rockford, and Sterling).

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A frosh soph game at 7 o'clock opens the program. Coach Lloyd Swan plans to start Kelly Kappler and either Phil Kernan or Bob Hawks at forward with "Chick" Mathews at pivot and Ernie Brink and Floyd Acker in the backcourt.

Dixon's underclassmen, like the varsity, are on the prowl for victory No. 1. Princeton's team, coached by Eugene Brunım, has won four and lost four, playing a mixture of junior varsity and frosh-soph competition.

Sportsmen's Club at Amboy Offers '49 Memberships

Amboy, Dec. 17.—(Special)—Officers of the Amboy Sportsmen's club are now distributing 1949 membership cards.

They are obtainable from B. F. Hinrichs, president; George Carr, vice president; J. P. O'Rourke, secretary-treasurer, or from Frank Gehant of West Brooklyn and Ralph Lauer, Sublette, directors.

Cage Results

HIGH SCHOOL

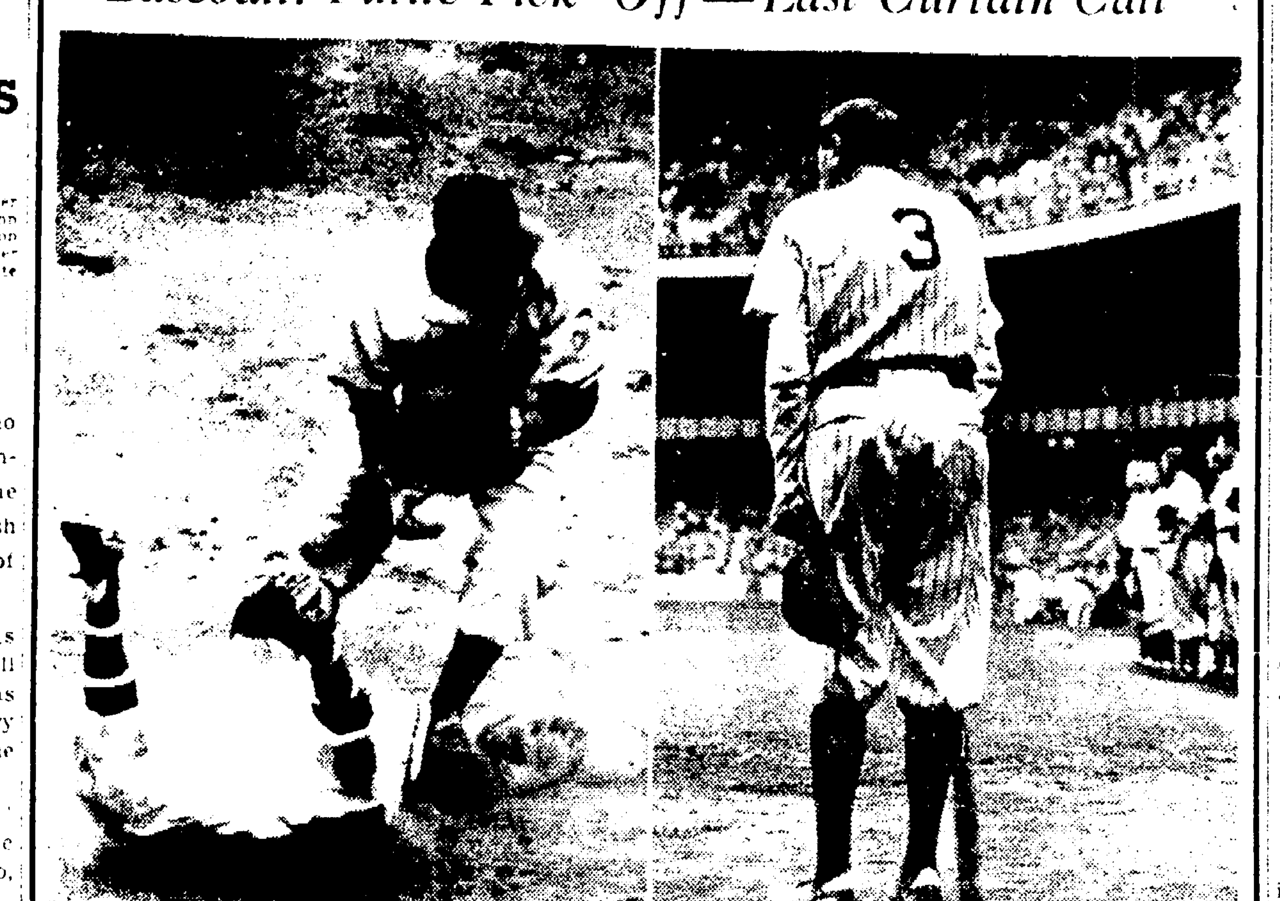
Stillman Valley 42, Steward 39.
Robinson 48, Canton 29.
Armington 60, Delavan 42.
Colfax 62, Ellsworth 32.

SANGAMON VALLEY TOURNEY
(2nd Round)

Farmer City 31, Deland-Weldon 27.
Fisher 62, Mahomet 46.

POLO GRADERS LOSE TWO GAMES ON FORRESTON FLOOR

Forreston, Dec. 17—(Special)—Forreston grade school cagers swept a double-bill with Polo yesterday, the lightweights winning, 31-24, and the heavies taking a 24-19 decision.



1948's Big Moments in Sports:
Baseball: Futile Pick--Off—Last Curtain Call

PHIL MASI GETS HIS HAND on second base in a desperate headlong dive to escape being tagged out by Lou Boudreau in the controversial pick-off play in the eighth inning of the first game of the World Series. Umpire Bill Stewart ruled the Braves' catcher safe, and the Indians stormed all over him. Note Masi's cap next to the shortstop's glove. Tommy Holmes followed this up with a single that beat Bob Feller, 1-0, despite a two-hit performance.

With old teammates, Babe Ruth, a very sick and wasted man, wearing his famous number three, returned in uniform to Yankee Stadium for the last time, June 13, celebrating the 25th anniversary of the park he built.

(First of an eight-part thumbnail picture-story series: Ed.)

College Grid Crowds Larger

New York, Dec. 17—(AP)—Led by the southwest's whopping 25 per cent increase, college football crowds were larger almost everywhere this fall.

An Associated Press survey of 89 schools today showed the far west as the only exception to the upward trend.

Nationally the increase in average attendance was 4.3 per cent over 1947. The 89 schools played 451 home games before gatherings totalling 12,446,754. Last year 11,719,998 saw 443 home games.

An average game this fall drew 27,598 paying customers. Last year the average was 26,546.

The midwest, as usual, had the biggest crowds, both average and total. The 105 midwestern games drew 3,689,633 fans, a breakdown of 35,135 per game. The southwest with 32,329 was next as far as averages were concerned, followed by the east with 26,273, far west with 25,028, and south with 23,008.

Pennsylvania, which played seven home games, had the highest total attendance — 469,000. Michigan, which attracted 408,057 to five home dates, had the best average.

The biggest crowd of the year sat in on the Army Navy classic at Philadelphia. These 102,581 persons counted on Navy's home attendance since the Middies were hosts to the game.

S. Central Wins Two from Lincoln

South Central won two grade school basketball games from Lincoln last night on its home floor, the sixth grade piling up an 18-8 margin and the seventh graders capturing a 33-12 triumph.

Pat Kernan scored 10 points to lead the sixth graders while Fred Schultheis hit 13 for the seventh graders. Lincoln missed 11 free throws in 11 chances during the sixth grade game.

SIXTH GRADE GAME

Lincoln (8)	G	F	P	South Central (18)	G	F	P
Wolf	0	0	0	Pittman	0	0	1
Dunn	0	0	0	Moore	0	0	0
Wooldridge	0	0	0	Holbrook	0	0	0
Pittman	2	0	1	Pierce	0	0	2
Schmall	0	0	0	Breman	4	0	3
Beers	0	0	0	Kernan	5	0	3
Fremmons	0	0	1				
Willard	2	0	0				
Teeter	0	0	0				
Totals	4	0	2	Totals	9	0	9

SEVENTH GRADE GAME

Lincoln (12)	G	F	P	South Central (33)	G	F	P
Marshall	1	2	1	Kelly	0	0	1
Rock	0	0	0	Barton	3	0	0
Nicolaus	3	2	1	Greenfield	1	0	2
Black	0	0	0	Schultheis	6	1	1
Baker	0	0	0	Peterson	5	0	4
				Rosser	0	0	3
				Snow	1	0	0
Totals	4	4	2	Totals	16	1	11

TRUCE IN THE OFFING?

Armistice Reports Greet AAC Owners

Cleveland, Dec. 17—(AP)—Reports of a possible armistice in the dollar war with the senior National Football league greeted owners of the three-year-old All-America conference as they gathered today for their annual meeting and title playoff game.

The younger circuit has been for such a truce from the first day of its being. Most owners in the National have opposed it in the belief that the established circuit could outlast the newcomer.

A writer for a New York newspaper, Joe King, predicted yesterday that the All-America conference would fold up, and that the champion Cleveland Browns and the San Francisco 49ers would enter the National loop.

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However, Admiral Jonas Ingram, commissioner of the All-America, said the owners will go into today's session with a better outlook than they had at a comparable time a year ago.

Ingram said he also anticipated peace with the National league within 30 days.

"I'm confident," he said, "seven of the National league owners are in favor of some kind of working agreement now. I'm confident some kind of settlement will be made within the next month."

Ingram didn't say who was holding out but one man apparently is George Preston Marshall, owner of the Washington Redskins. Marshall reiterated his opposition to a truce yesterday after Alexis Thompson, owner of the Philadelphia Eagles, came up once again with the proposal that the two leagues get together.

Junior Sportsmen Meet; Rifle Talks, Gunnery Feature

Twenty members of the Junior Sportsmen's club attended a meeting at the armory last night.

A one hour class in safety firearms and the nomenclature of the bolt action and semi-automatic rifle was featured. One hour of target practice was held with Bob and Dwight Fulmer and Bill Burfeindt as instructors.

Election of officers will be held at the next meeting, slated in February.

FIGHTS

(By The Associated Press)

Atlantic City—Al Mobley, 137, Newark, N. J., outpointed Honeychile Johnson, 142, Philadelphia, 8.

Sports

NORTHERN ILLINOIS' MOST COMPLETE PREP COVERAGE

FIVE GAMES CARDED

Heavy NCIC Firing Commences Tonight

Eight of the NCIC's ten teams get down to the serious business of playing league games this evening.

Besides the Princeton at Dixon scrap, Sterling is booked to appear at Rock Falls, Hall Township goes to DeKalb, Geneseo is at Mendota and Rochelle invades Ottawa.

Princeton and Hall Township engaged in the only loop game thus far on Dec. 1, Princeton winning, 35-25. The Tigers are defending champions.

Sterling will be in search of its eighth straight victory against a mediocre Rocket crew.

In the Blackhawk conference, Mt. Morris goes to Polo and Oregon travels to Lanark. A fifth team, Mt. Carroll, is idle.

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Polo, undefeated in four starts, and Lanark are favored to ring up easy victories. Both won last week, Polo by a 52-30 count over Mt. Carroll and Lanark by 51-31 at Mt. Morris.

Other games this evening are Ashton at Franklin Grove, Princeville at Walnut, LaMoille at Lee Center, Paw Paw at Steward, Ohio at Bureau, St. Bede at DePue, DeWitt, Ia., at Morrison, Port Byron at Prophetstown, St. Thomas (Rockford) at Byron, East Rockford at West Aurora.

Joliet at West Rockford, Serena at Rollo, Aquin (Freeport) at Hononegah (Rockton), Fulton at Lyons (Clinton, Ia.), Savanna at St. Mary's (Clinton), Stockton vs. East Dubuque at Elizabeth, Sycamore at Geneva, Chadwick at Shannon and East Aurora at Freeport.

Dixon High FFA Cagers Triumph

Dixon high school's FFA basketball team played and won its first game of the season Tuesday night, defeating Brethren church, 23-11.

Ed Hoyle showed the way with 11 points while Glenn Ransom added nine. The other FFA first stringers are Wayne Bowers, Don Pinegar and Brad Nushaum.

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Freehold, N. J., Dec. 17—(AP)—A 46-year-old father who sent a basketball referee to the hospital for calling a foul on his son was ordered yesterday to undergo psychoanalysis and keep away from sports contests for a year.

Judge J. Edward Knight, suspended a two to three year prison term and fined Barrett Oxley of Long Branch $500. Oxley was charged with atrocious assault and battery.

Oxley pleaded no defense to attacking Alfred G. Brown, vice principal of Bogota school, who was refereeing a heated basketball game between Long Branch and Morristown last Feb. 10. Brown called a foul on Oxley's son, Joseph.

Michigan Quint in Invasion of Pacific Coast

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP)—Michigan's Western conference basketball champions were far from their home bailiwick today to test the University of Colorado at Boulder in the first of a three game western invasion.

Michigan, winner over Michigan State, Toledo and Pittsburgh, will play at Stanford Monday and will meet Santa Clara at San Francisco Tuesday before returning to Ann Arbor to prepare for the opening of the Big Nine campaign on Jan. 3.

Only one other game involving a Big Nine team is slated tonight—Nebraska at Purdue. Tomorrow the tempo picks up with five conference teams meeting non-league foes.

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In the second collegiate doubleheader bill of the season at Chicago Stadium tomorrow, Navy, making its first trip to the middle west, will play Northwestern and De Paul of Chicago will meet Minnesota. Undefeated Navy has downed Penn Military, Harvard and Virginia.

Bradley, one of the midwest strong teams, defeated Manhattan, 81 to 72, in New York last night before moving on to Philadelphia to play Temple tomorrow.

Indiana remained in the undefeated ranks by winning its fifth straight game of the season, a 56 to 36 decision over Kansas State at Bloomington.

Brethren, Grace Win in Hardwood Church League

Brethren whipped Tabernacle, 21-15, and Grace outscored Presbyterian, 39-18, in a pair of Church Basketball league encounters at Lincoln school gym last night.

Elton Reigle dumped in 10 baskets for Grace to nab high scoring honors for the evening.

Box scores:

Brethren (21)	G.	F.	P.	Tabernacle (15)	G.	F.	P.
Weigle	0	0	0	Fitch	0	0	1
Slonecker	4	1	2	A. Schummer	0	0	1
W. Bowers	1	0	1	Weidman	3	1	0
Gerdes	4	0	1	Ginger	0	2	1
Baker	1	0	2	R. Schummer	3	0	4
Totals	10	1	6	Totals	6	3	7

Score by quarters—

Brethren	4	9	4	4	—21
Tabernacle	4	5	4	2	—15

Grace (39)	G.	F.	P.	Presbyterian (18)	G.	F.	P.
E. Reigle	10	0	1	Bort	2	0	1
Pinegar	6	0	2	Joslyn	0	0	0
Boynton	0	0	0	Heindel	0	0	0
D. Reigle	1	0	0	Richards	1	1	0
W. Mayes	0	1	2	McConnahay	1	0	2
Quinn	1	0	1	Tyler	1	0	0
A. Mayes	1	0	2	Lovett	0	1	0
Totals	19	1	8	Totals	8	2	3

Score by quarters—

Grace	8	13	10	8	—39
Presbyterian	6	2	2	8	—18

All-Star Maple Meet Being Led by Ohio Veteran

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP)—Steve Nagy, Cleveland, O., veteran, led a field of 16 finalists today into the second 16-game round of the 61-game finals of the National All-Star individual bowling championship tournament.

Nagy amassed 79.19 points under the Petersen point system in the first 16 games yesterday. The system awards one point for each 50 pins, one for each game won, half a point for tie games and one point if the loser of a series outtotals his opponent. Nagy ousted Connie Schwoegler, Madison, Wis., former champion and early pace setter, by winning 10 and losing six games and knocking down 3,469 pins.

Slipping into second place just ahead of Schwoegler, was Andy Varipapa, defending champion from Hemstead, N. Y. The veteran trick shot kegler posted 78.15 points on an 11 games won and five lost record. He spilled 3,315 pins.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

RESULTS LAST NIGHT

Indiana 56, Kansas State 36.
Bradley 81, Manhattan 72.
Kentucky 51, Holy Cross 48.
Texas 58, NYU 57.
Baylor 45, Missouri 44.
Manchester 71, Western Michigan 66.
Wheaton 87, Taylor 62.
DeKalb Tchrs. 59, Bethany (Kan.) 47.

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PRINCETON PLAYS HERE TONIGHT

Contreras, Christ Are Co-Captains

Twenty-three varsity and 13 frosh-soph Dixon high school football players received letters for 1948 play this afternoon at an assembly program.

Steve Christ, senior guard, and Lorenzo Contreras, senior end, were elected honorary varsity co-captains by their teammates.

Coach Sam Owens handed out monograms to the following varsity boys:

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SENIORS—Steve Christ, Lorenzo Contreras, Stan Fish, Ken Church, Jim Phelps, Jim Pieschel, Dave Lahey, Frank Nagy, Lowell Smallwood, Delmar Wolf.

JUNIORS — George Cossman, Dick Dusing, Dick Kelley, Bob Leonard, Ken Naffziger, Brad Nusbaum, Bob Richards, Gabriel Santos, Stirling Stackhouse, Don Utter, Jerry Wakeley, Don Sproul.

SOPHOMORE—Ernie Brink.

Frosh-sophs given letters by Coach Lloyd Swan were Don Bennett, Dan Heck, Wayne Hufford, Roland Helms, Kelly Kappler, Phil Kernan, Bill Lafferty, Gene Magnafici, Dick Maronde, Dennis Mooney, Bob Russell, Dick Santos, Ed Shelton and Dick Walls.

Harold "Chick" Mathews, Lou Hanson, Morrison Miller, Chuck Strong and Merrill Richards earned manager's awards.

Cards, Browns Place Three on All-Pro Eleven

New York, Dec. 17—(AP)—The Cleveland Browns of the All-America conference and the Chicago Cardinals of the National league each placed three players on The Associated Press All-Pro football team.

The Browns chosen are End Mac Speedie, Quarterback Otto Graham and Fullback Marion Motley, 238-pound Negro.

The Cardinals selected are Guard Garrard Ramsey, End Mal Kutner and Back Charley Trippi.

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The remainder of the squad includes three men from the National league—Center Clyde (Bulldog) Turner of the Chicago Bears, Tackle Dick Huffman of the Los Angeles Rams and Halfback Steve Van Buren of the Philadelphia Eagles — and two from the AAC—Tackle Bob Reinhard of the Los Angeles Dons and Guard Dick Barwegan of the Baltimore Colts.

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The fact that both the Browns and Cardinals placed three men on the team does not necessarily mean that these elevens completely dominated the play in their respective circuits. However, it does show that these players were highly regarded in the success of the strong teams with which they played.

While the two leagues have been at odds since the AAC came into existence three seasons ago, the players picked were chosen on the basis of reports from Associated Press sports writers in the 14 cities wth major professional teams.

Grand Circuit to Be May 18-Nov. 16

Columbus, O.—(AP) — Harness racing's major league, the Grand Circuit, will run from May 18 to Nov. 16 next year at 17 tracks across the nation.

Milwaukee was dropped from the big wheel and Old Orchard, Me., and Sedalia, Mo., were added.

Grand Circuit dates include:

Fairmount Park, Collinsville, Ill., May 18-June 4.

Maywood Park, Chicago, June 6-18.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 15-20.

DuQuoin, Ill., Aug. 29-Sept. 3.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 5-10.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 26- Oct. 8.

Aurora, Ill., Oct. 10-22.

PRO CAGE STANDINGS

(By The Associated Press)

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Association of America

St. Louis 85, Baltimore 82
Fort Wayne 76, Providence 61

National League

Moline 73, Oshkosh 64
Sheboygan 67, Syracuse 46
Anderson 92, Detroit 84
Denver 69, Waterloo 51

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Sports

NORTHERN ILLINOIS' MOST COMPLETE PREP COVERAGE

CONQUERED BY STILLMAN

Steward Loses Its First Game, 42 to 39

Stillman Valley, Dec. 17—(Special)—Steward's nine-game winning streak was abruptly halted last night as Stillman Valley handed Coach Maurice Errion's club its first licking of the season, 42-39.

Stillman, gaining revenge for a 32-24 Steward defeat Nov. 20, broke away to a 14-12 first quarter lead. The score was 29-24 at half-time in favor of the Valley cagers.

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Wayne Starnes flipped 18 points to spearhead Steward while Harold Magnuson was high for Stillman with 15.

Stillman won the prelim, 27-21, for its eighth straight win of the season without a loss.

Box score:

Stillman Valley (42)	G.	F.	P.	Steward (39)	G.	F.	P.
Knox f	4	1	2	Holle f	4	1	3
Cox f	2	1	2	Oleson f	1	1	2
Carlson c	1	2	4	Macklin f	0	1	1
Magnuson g	6	3	2	Benner c	1	4	3
Macklin g	3	3	2	W.Starnes g	8	2	2
				Rogde g	1	0	3
				C.Starnes g	0	0	1
Totals	16	10	12	Totals	15	9	15

Score by quarters—

Steward	12	12	11	4	—39
Stillman Valley	14	15	7	6	—42

Schedule Mix-Up Hits Legion Five at South Beloit

The Dixon Legion-South Beloit Northern Illinois AAU Basketball league game carded at South Beloit last night failed to materialize, Dixon Coach John Mitchell said today.

A schedule mix-up was held responsible. Dixon made the long trip only to find South Beloit absent.

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The locals play CAY club at Rockford Sunday and then take on the strong Mt. Morris Kable Kolts here Wednesday night. Kable News of Mt. Morris will meet Dixon 40 & 8 in Wednesday's prelim.

New gold uniforms with blue trim and warm-up jackets have arrived.

KEGLERS

New York—Estimates indicate there are over 20 million bowlers in this country.

Cardinals Depart for Philadelphia Contest Tonight

Chicago, Dec. 17—(AP)—The Chicago Cardinals, defending National Football league champions, will be after their sixth straight win over the Philadelphia Eagles in their title game at Shibe park Sunday.

The victory string of the Western division winners over the Eastern section titleholders extends over a period of two years. The Cardinals defeated only by the Bears in their 12 league games this season, leave tonight for Philadelphia.

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The Cardinals have two wins this season against the Eagles. They beat them in an exhibition game, 23 to 9, and scored a 21 to 14 victory in a league contest. The last time the Eagles beat Jimmy Conzelman's team was in 1945, by a 21 to 6 score.

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The Cardinals yesterday continued preparations for the Eagles without the services of Paul Christman, No. 1 quarterback. He suffered a fractured index finger on his right hand in the Cards' 24 to 21 victory over the Chicago Bears for the Western division title last Sunday.

In Philadelphia, Coach Greasy Neale of the Eagles, said "If we make one mistake the Cards will slaughter us."

Area Bowling

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TUESDAY LADIES LEAGUE

Team—	Won	Lost	T.P.
Meeks	30	15	36453
Johnson & Trei	26	19	36200
J. & E.	25	20	36330
Airport	24	21	36133
Milledgeville Merchants	22	23	36700
Union Dairy	22	23	36201
Independents	17	28	35700
Dot's Cafe	13	32	35192

High series, Union Dairy 2602; high ind. series, D. Weaver 496; high ind. ave., S. Sweet 150, V. Fossett 147, J. Fossett 142.

SPEAKING RIGHT OUT LOUD, with gestures, Vice-President Calvin Griffith, left, of the Senators and President Bill Veeck of the Indians both seem satisfied with the deal that sent First Baseman Mickey Vernon and Pitcher Early Wynn from Washington to Cleveland in exchange for First Baseman Eddie Robinson and Pitchers Joe Haynes and Ed Klieman. Baseball men suspect that the Washington club got a sizeable amount of cash, too.

BEST YET

State College, Pa.—Coach Bob Higgins rates his 1947 unbeaten football team as the best he has coached in his 18 seasons at Penn State.

RECORD REQUIRED

Detroit—The longest field goal in the history of the National Football league is 54 yards by Glenn Presnell, which provided the Detroit Lions with a 3-0 victory over Green Bay, Oct. 7, 1934.

BOWLING BITS

By "FRIDAY"

In the Recreation Commercial league last night, Hey Brothers won two games from Potts Market, and took a one-game lead with 28-14, when last week's co-leader, The Keg, lost two sets to drop into second with 27-15. Lloyds won three games and replaced Potts Market in the third spot with 25-17.

George Bishop had the high series of the night with 630 and John Hyland had the only other high total with 610. High games were Ken Detweiler 201-210, Em Rorer 210, John Hyland 235, Bus Carlson 221, Roy Elliott 212, Cliff Volk 210, Rollie Zentz 212, Phil Bondi 202, Larry Hoyle 213-216, George Bishop 225-219, Friday Shultz 202.

High team bowlers were Hey Bros., Ken Detweiler, 576; Potts Market, John Hyland, 610; The Keg, Bus Carlson, 548; Rogers Printing, Oscar Witzleb 560; Lloyds Independents, Ralph Rhodes, 461; Marshall Barbers, Orin Lovin, 445; Empire Sales, Bill Wakeley, 493; Fyr Fyters, Clyde Andreas, 560; Peter Pipers, Larry Hoyle, 591; Wayne Feeds, G. Beatty, 412; Cahill's Electric, Mike Olifar, 497; Carson's "66" Sam Hartzell, 459; Freeman Shoes, George Scott, 440; Shaw Printing, George Bishop, 630; Max Johns Carpenters, Al Wasmund, 492; Studebaker Sales, Friday Shultz 516.

In the Men's league at Lincoln Lanes, after last night's kegling, Smith Oil holds first with 32-10, Lincoln Lanes, second, 28-14 and Reynolds 2, third, 26-16.

Orville Hopkins had the high series of the night with 586 and high games were Bill Spinden 201, Fred Rolando 208, Herman Stillwell 202, Francis Winkel 203, Chauncey Robbins 204, Orville Hopkins, 227-201, Les Broiherton 222, Bill Mansell 205, Bill Underwood 219, Ken Johnson 202, Dale Wilson 212-212; Del Bohms, 217.

High team bowlers were: Smith Oil, Orville Hopkins 586; Lincoln Lanes, Les Brotherton, [illegible]; Roberts & Hess, Keller, 440; Reynolds 2, Bill Spinden, 555; Engineers, Armand Bushman, 510; Harmon Township, Chauncey Robbins, 537; Dixon Grain & Feed, [illegible] Willstead, Reynolds 3, Dale Wilson, 579; Reynolds 1, Bill Mansell, 493; Klein & Heckman, Lyle Halsey, 542; Evar Swanson, Louis Wohrley, 475; Freeman Shoe, Glenn Hardesty, 512; Three Deuces, Claude Knox, 491; Underwood Service, Bill Underwood 511; Rock Island Transfer, Dale Boose 541; Shamrock, Ken Johnson, 52[illegible]; Star Sales, Fred Rolando, 517; Diamond H, Herman Stillwell 515; Reynolds 4, Del Bohms, 481; Borden Cans, Ken Utz 499.

The ten high average bowlers in the Major league tonight at the Recreation:

Frank Daschbach, Jr.	188
John Smith	188
Ev Thorn	186
John Lance	185
Orville Hopkins	179
Ned Sack	178
Cy Wiesbrenner	177
Harold Peach	176
Eldon Myers	176
Ken Detweiler	175

In the K. C. league the ten high average keglers are:

George McGraham	182
Frank Lessner	162
Steve Gall	161
Charlie Kent	159
Jim Devine	158
Jack Burke	157
"Red" White	157
Bill Maloney	150
John Slain	149

In the Church league at Lincoln Lanes the high average bowlers are:

Men

John Russell	188
Choppy Rosbrook	180
Clint Emmert	170
Delroy Long	167
Virgil Brouk	165

Girls

Maude Dewey	160
Marguerite Woodyatt	159
Ruth Bohnstiel	149
Eva Karper	142
Bess McConnaughay	140

In addition to the girl's and man's watches Ken is presenting for the high game of the season at the Recreation, he is giving away his annual Christmas turkey to the man and girl kegler turning in the high single in open bowling between now and Dec. 24 . . . Don't know what kind of an operation Virginia Flower had recently, but if we thought it would help our bowling as much as it has hers we'd get one during the holidays. The last three times out Virginia has had 593, 531 and 518, which is making it increasingly embarrassing to hubby Russ, who's 507 Wednesday night was 41 pins behind his one and only . . . On the other hand two mighty proud keglers this week are Art Dewey and Harvey Schofield, both of whom out-counted their better halfs Monday night. Art especially has reason to strut a bit as it was his second successive win over Maude, edging her out last Friday night with a nice 429 to Maude's 428 . . . Ken's Recreation class tournament which runs annually, is becoming well recognized, drawing entries from all over the state . . . This year quite a number of out-of-town girls have entered with a large delegation from Rockford scheduled during the holidays, to build up the field of local boys and girls who intend to roll . . . After losing two games to James Billiards Wednesday night, Eldon Myers has issued a challenge to Earl James for his Royal Blue team, to roll a special match for a bottle of goat's milk . . . Ray Burrs was bragging all over the United Thursday that WE won three games Wednesday night, so we looked up Ray's score, expecting he had quite a bit of a series, which he did, 406 on games of 148-120-138 . . . Marshall Barbers put on a pre-nuptial party last night for their anchor man Frank Daschbach, Jr., by making him dog, when he turned in 401, which should prove to his fiancee that he was thinking of her instead of his bowling . . . Sparky Campbell had his Commercial loop bowling team in to the Bears-Cardinals game last Sunday for their annual jaunt to the Windy City. Those attending beside Sparky were Wayne Williams, Al Nelson and Fred Meinke . . . Dale Boase, a recent convert to the bowling game, had his first set of twins a couple of weeks ago and last night came up with his first "500" series, with 551, which gives him two fine subjects for conversation . . . Wayne Williams has done so much hunting that he continually leads the head pin with his first ball.

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Students enrolled at the Indiana university at Bloomington, this semester include Jack Allen Ferger, 1004 North Dixon avenue, Dixon. Enrollment in the Indiana states chool, which has campuses at Bloomington and Indianapolis and eight centers situated throughout the state, is composed of 14,414 tfull-time and 8.717 part-time students.

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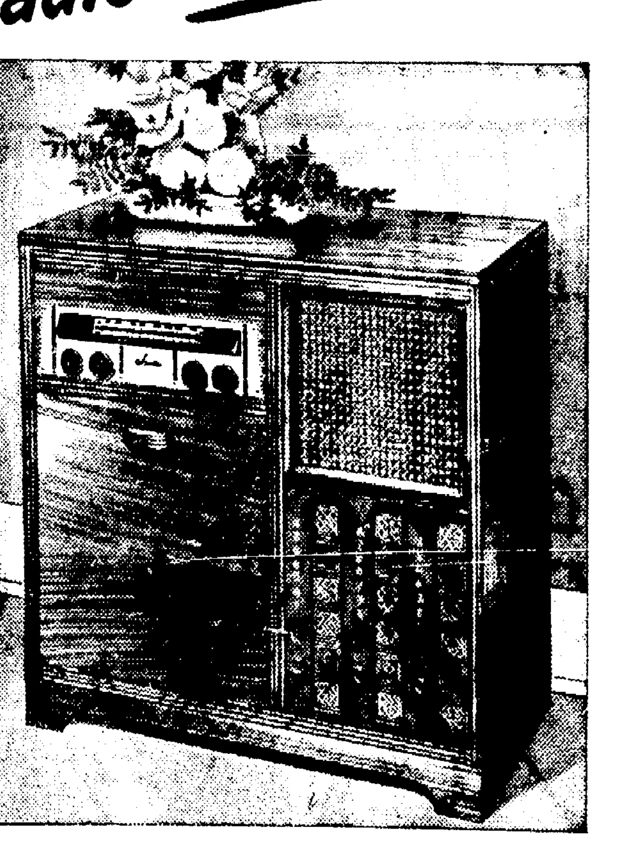

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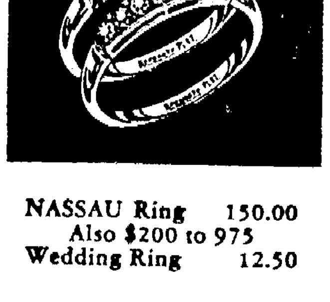

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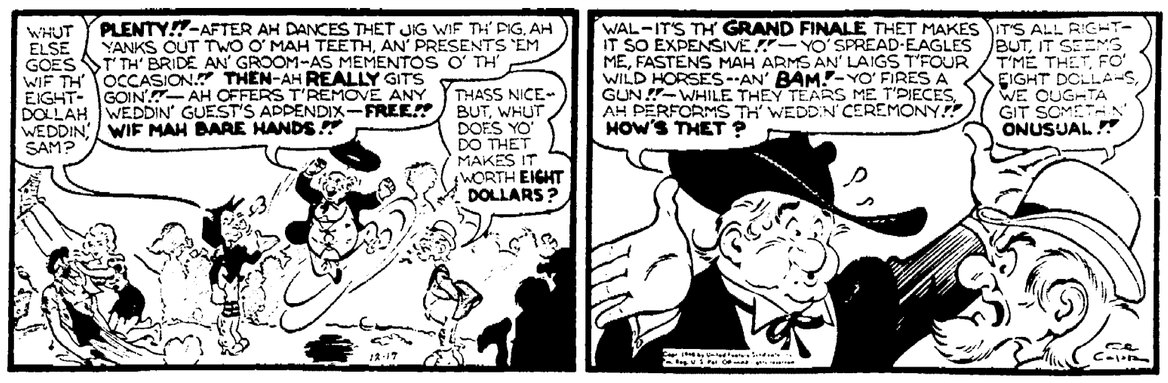

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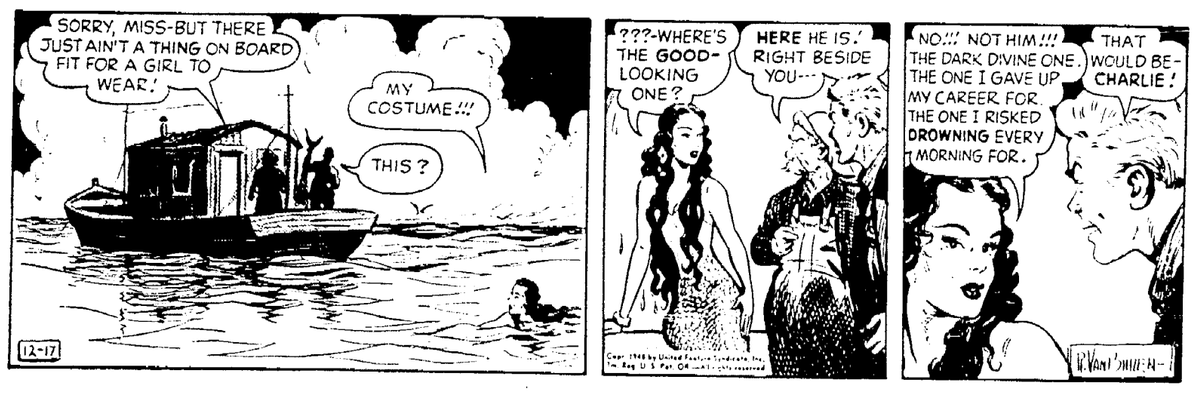

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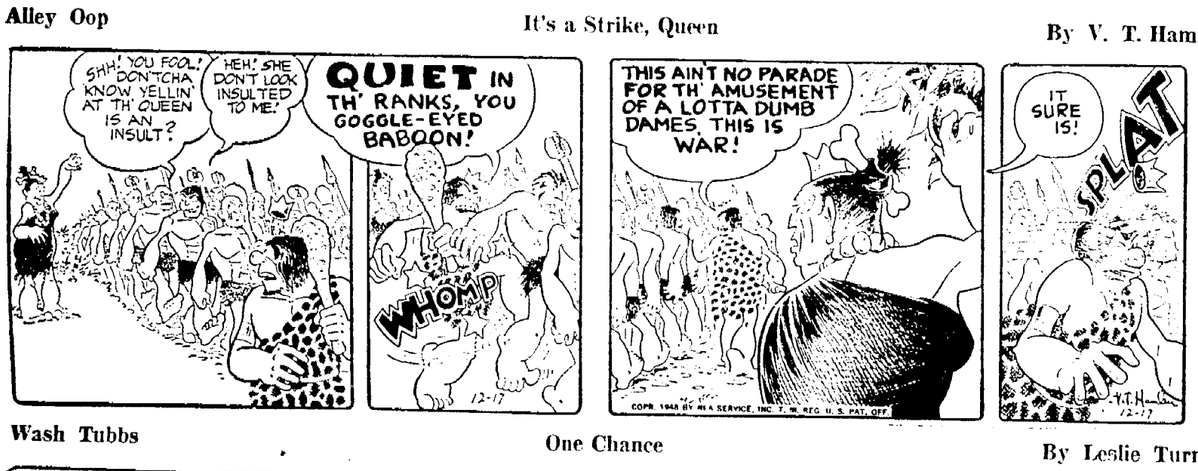

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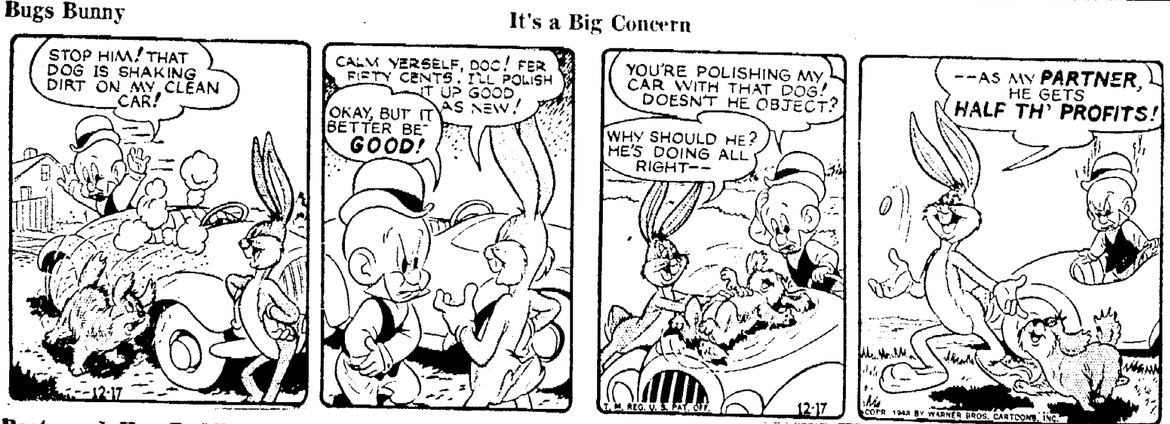

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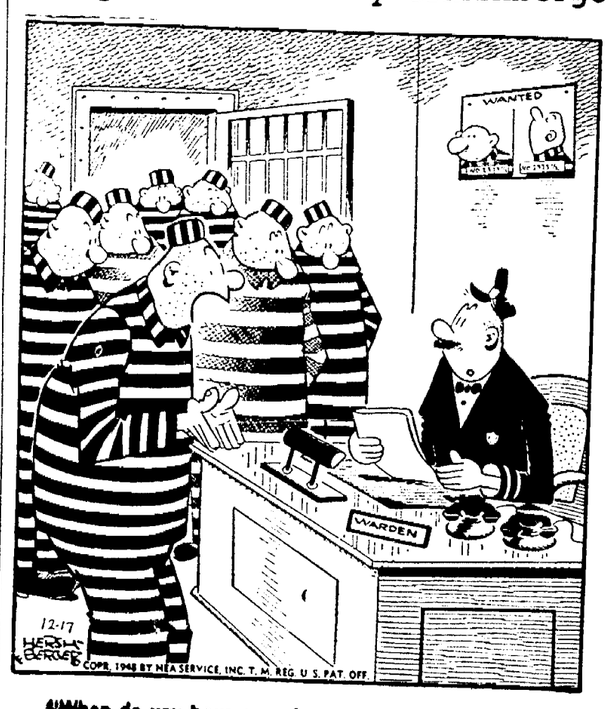

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6:45 Inside of Sports—WGN.
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The Sheriff—WENR
Yours for a Song—WGN

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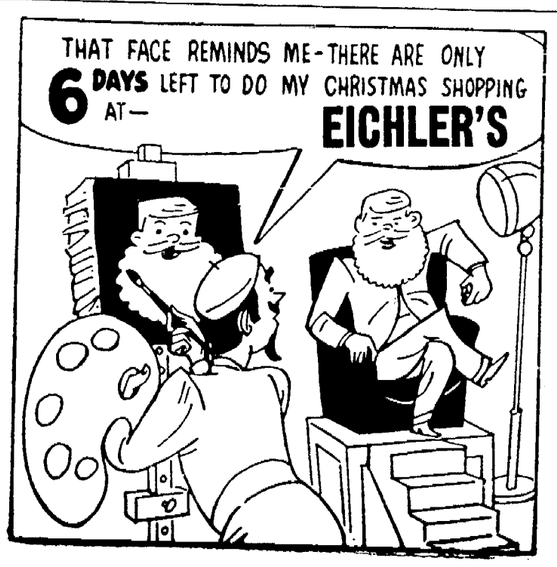

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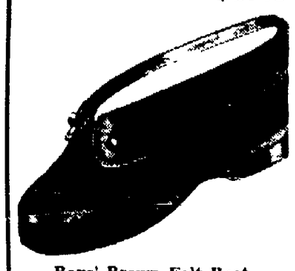

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Ohio Seniors Give Large Crowd Treat

Ohio—The seniors of the Ohio high school presented the play, "We Shook The Family Tree" to a capacity crowd on Saturday evening. The play was very ably directed by Miss Agnes Vuconick Those who were in the cast of characters were Hildegarde—Caroline Grossman Mr Dolson her father—Ted Conner Mrs Dolson, her mother—Betty Joder. Sally, her younger sister—Dorothea Brandan; Bob, the elder brother—Jerry Norden, Jimmy, the younger brother—James Bugayne; Paige, who liked to play postman—Cheryl Johnson. Ella May—Marie Nothnagel, Jill, her friend — Betty Spohn; Freddie Shermer—Dick Anderson Mr. Sherman, his father—Ton Anderson and Mrs Sherman, his mother—Rita Sheehan.

Sam Gerber is a patient at the Mayo Clinic Hospital in Rochester, Minn.

Edgar Brokaw is a patient at the Dixon hospital

The Merry Bluebirds met on Saturday afternoon at the home of their leader, Mrs. Gilbert Anderson.

Visit In Joliet

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Anderson spent Wednesday in Joliet.

The C.D.A. had their regular business meeting on Monday evening at the Immaculate Conception church hall Hostesses were Mrs Ed Donnelly and Mrs Leo Knuth

Mesdames Cliff Kropff, Jack Faley, Dick Walter and J M. O'Malley spent Friday in Peoria

Mrs. A H Hanon Mrs D S Grow, Mrs. Zelma Kerr and Don Kerr spent Thursday in Rockford

Mr and Mrs Jack Faley entertained Mrs Nellie Christman of Princeton at Sunday dinner

Mesdames Kenenth Poole, Dale Kerr and Cliff Brown were Friday visitors in Dixon.

Bob Anderson, Russell Kramer and Ruth Anderson of Macomb college spent the weekend at their respective homes.

Has Operation

Carl Haas submitted to an appendectomy at the Princeton hospital Friday.

Mrs. Mary Driscoll submitted to major surgery at the Dixon hospital Friday.

Janet Blaine, daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Blaine submitted to major surgery at Princeton hospital Thursday night.

In using hard-cooked egg for a garnish the whites may be chopped and added to the dish The volks can then be put through a fine sieve with a spoon

Turkey Party Dinner, Moose Hall, Sat., Dec. 18, 1948. Advtl

Sublette

Sublette—Mrs. Leo Full of Sublette and Essie Brumley of Mendota were honored at a birthday party on Monday at the home of Mr and Mrs Lester Full and son Donnie at Mendota A scramble supper was served at 6 30 p m. A beautiful decorated birthday cake centered the table. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson of Amboy, Mr and Mrs Essie Brumley and daughter Peggy Ann Mr and Mrs. Alvie Full Mr and Mrs Robert Full and daughter Clara Marie Hester Nowlin Leroy Full, all of Mendota, and Mr and Mrs Leo Full and son Richard and daughter LaVerne of Sublette

Got Fine Gifts

Mrs Full and Essie Brumley received many nice gifts.

The Sublette hospital committee recently met following a communication from the Illinois State Board of Health in regard to Licensure of the hospital The state has tentatively approved opening the hospital Before giving final approval, detailed plans of the present hospital construction and the remodeling plans must be submitted to the department of the hospital construction for approval before remodeling can be accomplished

Plans Being Drafted

The plans are now being drafted The hospital committee will welcome the aid of someone who has had experience in construction and drafting. A student of mechanical drawing could be most useful.

Mr and Mrs Anthony Halbmaier, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Full, Hester Nowlin and Leroy Full, all of Mendota were Tuesday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs Leo Full and family

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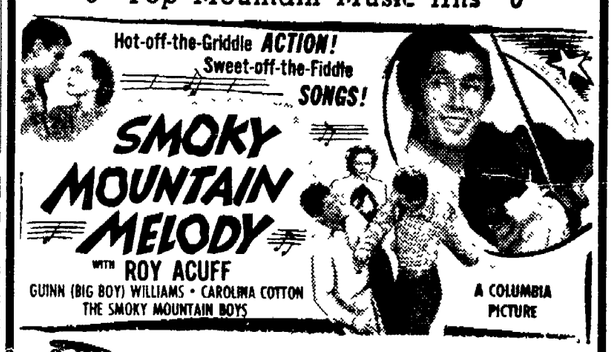

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